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BROKER EXPLAINS FINANCIAL SCHEMES OF OPERATORS ON NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

FRANK K. STURGIS, FORMER PRESIDENT OF EX-CHANGE PLACED ON STAND BY COMMITTEE

In Hearing in Money Trust Inquiry Broker Explains at Length About the Ways of the "Street" --- Tells of the Relation of New York Stock and Consolidated Stock Exchanges and of Their Fight for Supremacy in Wall Street.

New York Stock Exchange quotations

"Then the rule was passed forbid-

ding stock exchange members to do

business with consolidated brokers"

"You just wanted to punish the

Consolidated?" Mr. Untermyer sug-

'No, we wanted to protect our

"The Consolidated charges just

one half as much for commissions

for doing the public business as you

"Hasn't hat something to do with

Well, no-I don't think so."

"If the Consolidated doubled its

After some discussion Mr. Sturgis

"Well, that would be a healing

palm to some extent; that would be

Mr. Sturgis will resume the stand

tomorrow and will be asked a series

ARE BOWLEGS GREATER MENACES

TO NAVIGATION THAN KNOCK-KNEES?

Vigorous Debate on This Knotty

Washington, Dec. 12.-Whether

bowlegs are greater menaces to navi-

gaton than knock knees is still an

made before the National Press club

tonight by Representative Sulzer,

governor-elect of New York and

in condemnation of bowlegs and

vigorous denunciation of knock-

Referee John Haves Hammond

who was President Taft's special am-

bassador to the cornation of King

George V., decided that neither of-

fered serious obstruction and read a

cablegram from the international

board of navgation in Berlin to bear

Before the debate began Mr. Ham-

Representative Sulzer attributed

to bowlegs virtually all the diseases

corns to consumption." He declared

that history could show no bowleg-

terfered" in their knees. He closed

Senator Penrose insisted that

there was no place in creation for

the knock-kneed man. A mam so

afflicted, he declared, on going home

would be in a state of collapse in

would be bowling merrily home-

said. "is due to a remnant of our

physical trait when we lived in trees

quence is that the bowleg is full of

Representative Stanley followed

with a sweeping denunciation of

the frescoes and paintings of Rap-

hael and other old masters that the

angels they picture were universally

Senator Gore assailed the framers

of the constitution because they had

not grappled with the knock-kneed

He admitted that the problem was

a knotty one but added that the

American people had settled it po-

bow-legged Bull Moose up Salt

Chicago, Dec. 12 .- Jack Johnson,

Creek as obstructions to navigation.'

JOHNSON FINED \$50.

"The bowlegged condition." he

hours

'A man knock-kneed

from his club in the early

"Is a friend indeed."

mon forced the contestants to rise

and shake hands "to show there was

commission charge there would be no

the ill feeling."

at Washington.

knees.

by quoting:

ward.

knock-kneed.

feet.'

helpful."

rouble, would there?'

WASHINGTON, DEC. 12 .- The change endeavored to force the Weshighways and byways of finance as tern Union Telegraph company to traversed by operators on the New withdraw from the Consolidated ex-York stock exchange were mapped change two stock tickers over which out before the house banking and the Western Union was delivering currency committee to day in its money trust inquiry. Frank K. Sturgis The consolidated took the matter to of the brokerage firm of Strong, court and retained the tickers. Sturgis & Co., former president and a member of the board of governors of the stock exchange, told the committee at length about the ways of the "street". The examination of Mr. Sturgis by Samuel Untermyer, counsel for the committee, bristled with technical discussions and involved digressions. Mr. Sturgis at times insisted on long explanations in answering questions ano one he refused to answer. His counsel, John G. Milburn, interferred to preserve the dignity of the occasion.

The testimony of Mr. Sturgis brought out the following points: Not Increased Since 1869.

The membership of the stock exchange has not been increased since 1869, when it was fixed at 1100. Since then the business done and the stocks listed on the exchange have increased about fifty times over Mr. Sturgis said that an increase in membership was well able to handle the business of the publis. In a dozen recent failures, Mr. Sturgis, admitted, stock exchange houses had of questions proposed by his counsel. carried with them stock owned in John G. Milburn. part of the partners but hypotheticated by the brokers for more than the real ownership of the broker. In such cases the proceeds of the sale of the bankrupt brokers' seat on this exchange goes, it was explained, not to his customers, but to his creditors inside the exchange.

Mr. Sturgis thought this was just, as it was a regulation subscribed to by he members of the exchange and recognized by the public.

Customers' Stock Support Loan Stock exchange brokers usually use the stock owned in part by their customers as collateral to support their own loans, Mr. Sturgis said. re-hypothecating the securties for a greater amount than is represented for the debt of the customer. He add ed that the governors of the exchange would welcome any suggestion that would put a stop to the practice. He disagreed with a scheme proposed by Mr. Untermyer that would force brokers to mark on "loan envelopes" containing their collateral the amount for which they already held as security by the broker, in order that the bank make its loans to the broker on that basis. This scheme Mr. Sturgis contended, would entail him out. an almost prohibitive amount of

book-keeping. Mr. Sturgis, through a grilling examination, insisted that the stock no hard feeling." exchange could not prevent manipulation of the market by pools and syndicates. He said they could not known to medical science, go behind a transaction to discover a buyer or seller's motives.

On this point Mr. Sturgis and ged hero, while Moses. Socrates, counsel for the committee had a Hannibal and scores of others "inspirited argument.

'Is it legitimate for a member of the stock exchange to give an order to sell a certain amount of stock to one broker and an order to buy the same amount of the same stock to another broker," Mr. Untermeyer asked.

"So long as there is no collusion and the commissions are paid it is not illegitimate, Mr. Sturgis said. 'The important point is that the broker's commissions be paid?" the

lawyer asked. Yes, that is it." 'You know that the object of that sort of a transaction is to raise or

and climbed up them. The consedepress the prices of the stock?" The object is to create an active the vigor of the gorilla or of the market.' primitive man."

"A market that appears to be active, you mean?" Yes. bowlegs. He said he could prove by

Evades Questions. Mr. Untermyer sought in vain to

get from Mr. Sturgis a view of the position of the trading public in such a transaction, with the stock at a fictitous figure and finally object ed to the form of the witness' ans-

question, "face to face, and feet to 'You are asking me a moral ques tion, and I'm answering a stock exchange question," Mr. Sturgis said, with a smile and the committee litically. "by sending both the knock-

laughed. The witness insisted that these transactions were beyond the power of the exchange for discipline, so long as the commissions were paid. The relations of the New York stock exchange and the Consolidated Stock Exchange came in for a share Mr. Sturgis' attention following the examination of half a dozen members of the consolidated stock exchange who said that the stock exchange rules forbid its members to do any business with consolidated brokers, or any one one connected with the Consolidated exchange. Mr. Sturgis asked to be allowed to make a statement on this point. He said that the consolidated had always been a competitor of the stock exon to say that in 1909, the stock ex- iginally planned. SUIU WILL BE BROUGHT FOR ITS DIS-

Stockholders File Protest Against Application for the Issuance of \$24,000,000 Bonds for Improve-

COLUMBUS, O., DEC. 12 .- A pro test was filed here late today with the state utilities commission by stockholders of the New York Central railroad against the application for an issuance of \$24,000,000 of bonds by the railroad for improvements in Ohio. It is declared that the railroad is a trust and suit will be brought for its dissolution under the Sherman law.

The protest was signed by C. H Venner and company, New York bankers, as stockholders in the New York Central and Hudson River railroad and the Michigan Central railroad and also by the Contenental Security company of New York by its Secretary Charles E. Robinson as stockholders in the Michigan Cen-

stockholders are expected here Mon- swers. day when the application for the issuance of the certificates will be

heard by the utilities board Awaited Outcome of U. P. Case action leading toward a dissolution had not the Union Pacific case, in which a decree dissolving the Harriman merger was recently given, been pending in the United States court. The delay is further explained by a communication from Wade H. Ellis, former attorney general of Ohio, which was inclosed. It set forth that the government itself would have brought suit against the New York Central system three years ago under an alleged violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, but that the Union Pacific case embodied the question of the legality of one road to control the stock of a competing line. Under the application for the issuance of the equipment certificates which was filed with the public utilities commission last Monday. the New York Central and Hudson river, the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern, the Michigan Central and Problem Now Before the People is the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago Held by the National Press Club & St. Louis agreed "to maintain said equipment and to pay as rental therefor an amount sufficient to meet rants, and the principal of said

by reason of its ownership of about 90 per cent of the stocks of the Representative Stanley of Kentucky Lake Shore which it acquired in violation of the Sherman act. controls Senator Penrose and Gore in equally three distinct competing lines between Buffalo and Chicago. By reason of the dominating control which the New York Central exercises over the several corporations named, it has compelled, and is now seeking to compel such corporations to pledge their credit for the benefit of the New York Central and Hudson River railroad. As stockholders of the Michigan Central, we object to that company assuming an obligation of \$24,000,000, of which probably seven-eights is for the benefit of other corporations of which the Michigan Central has no financial interests whatever.'

PASSENGER TRAIN KILLS FARMER

Chicago & Northwestern Train juring Another.

Chicago, Dec. 12.-A Chicago & Northwestern railroad train struck wrote letters to McNamara asking a farmer's wagon near Morton that men be sent to Scranton to help Grove today, killing August Schoen- unionize jobs there. He said nonbreck and injuring Frank Wagner the road while the bowlegged man so that he died before surgical help union men who were out of work

> fence along the railroad with such force as to break off fence posts.

FOUND GUILTY OF SHOOTING

Woman Who Attempts to Kill Hus-

sitting in the tonneau with her four of the head. In trying to conceal testified against the defendant.

MAKE NO PROGRESS. men that the conference of employers

progress having been made.

RYAN'S TESTIMONY

Asserts Virulent Attacks Were Made Upon Him by Open Shop Contractors

JUDGE OBJECTS REMARK

Tells Witness That Government is Behind Prosetition and **Not the Erectors' Association**

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., DEC. 12 .-For asserting that "virulent attacks" were made on him by contractors who employed non-union workmen, Frank M. Ryan, president of the Iron Workers' International union, was censured by the court at the "dynamite conspiracy" trial today as giving "irresponsive" an-

Ryan, the most prominent of the forty-one defendants, was asked what he meant by comments he made on an invitation he received to visit William T. Jerome, then district attorney of New York. Ryan's comments were contained in a letter written in January, 1908, to John J. McNamara, secretary of the union. At that time, according to the government, Ryan was in New York directing the dynamiting campaign in the iron workers' general strike against "open shop" contractors.

Ryan Explains Letter. Ryan identified a copy of a letter he received from Jerome, saying: "I shall be glad to see you alone or with your attorney if you prefer.' In his letter to McNamara, he

"Another surprise. I enclose copy of Jerome's letetr with a suggestion that if I am prevented in any way from conducting the affairs of the association you should advise the first vice-president to take

"What did you mean when you said 'If I am prevented from conducting the affairs of the association?' asked District Attorney Mill "I meant just what it says," Ryan replied, who, although the district attorney objected, kept on talking.

published in New York and emanating from the National Erectors' association and a man named Donnelly had come from Albany to circulate a petition to have me impeached as president. I did not know what there was to it until I investigated Donnelly's end and I wanted to be prepared for any emergency. That is all there is to it, except that I

saw Jerome." Objects to Ryan's Talk. One objection was then made to Ryan's remarks. Federal Judge Anderson turning toward the witness

"All this talk is irresponsive. This is the case of the United States government against these defendants and not the erectors' association. The government is behind this prose-

Senator Kern for the defense then asked Ryan .: "Were you apprehensive that you had done anything contrary to law

that might endanger you?' was not," Ryan replied. No further inquiries were made regarding Ryan's visit to Jerome. In his testimony Ryan said his visit was friendly and he denied it had any-Strikes Farmer's Wagon Killing thing to do with violence in the con-

duct of the strike in New York. Michael J. Hannon, Scranton, Pa. testified that "trimming" non-union iron workers meant "beating them Hannon said that in 1909 he union men at work were assaulting and he had asked McNamara to "send money on the quiet to pay attorneys' fees and possibly fines when the union men defended themselves."

to do their work the way they want-"Because they employed an outside function. We wanted to bring the non-union men into the union. "How did you want to bring them

"Why was it you thought these

open-shop contractors had no right

in-on a stretcher?" "No, in a kindly way." "You stated that you were sorry for some of the letters you wrote. Do you wish to change your plea of not guilty?"

other defendant, testified concerning been in accord with the administrafinances of the international union.

LAD THREATENS WILSON'S LIFE New York, Dec. 12.-Herman Steinberg, a 17 year old boy, who is going over to New Jersey and shoot President-elect Wilson, was arrested hour, which was consumed mostly here this afternoon and held without bail. A loaded revolver was found the playing time of games.

In court a fruit dealer who formcost to eastern railroads of the wage erly employed the lad appeared as threats and was held without bail. I sevices to New York.

MEMBERS OF ASSEMBLY

STATE CANVASSING BOARD COM-PLETES LIST OF MEMBERS

No Party Will Have Majority in Either House-In Senate Republicans Have 25, Democrats 24; in House Republicans 51, Democrats

SPRIPINGFIELD, ILL., DEC. 12. The state canvassing board today completed its canvaes for members of the general assembly and issued certificates to George A. Miller of the twenty-third senatorial district and to R. D. Kirkpatrick of the fiftieth senatoral district.

In the twenty-third senatoral district the state canvassing board opened the poll books and tally sheets and found that the canvassing board of Cook county had made a mistake in failing to credit to Mr. Miller 485 votes in the Oak Park precincts. It also appeared that votes of Mr. Bruce and Mr. Bloomberg were unchanged; that the vote for Mr Modesen was reduced by 17 and the vote for Mr. Zolla increased

by 111 1-2 in these precincts. In this district the poll books and tally sheets showed that Bruce received the same number of votes as shown by the certificate forwarded to the secretary of state by the Cook county canvassing board.

In the fiftieth district, there was one certificate filed by the canvassing board of Franklin county and, later, an affidavit and certificate filed by the county clerk of Franklin county showing the prior certificate to have been erred.

The state canvassing board opened the poll books, tally sheets and returns of Franklin county and the enumeration showed mistakes as fol-

The vote for H. D. Fitzpatrick was increased by 236 1-2 votes; for Charles Curren by 76 votes; for George W Crawford by 342 votes: for J. A. Felts by 68 1-2 votes; for George L. Dubois by 37 votes and for John Connant by 399 votes.

No party will have a majority in either house; in the senate the Republicans have 25, Democrats 24 and Progressives 2. In the house the Republicans have 51 members; Demoerats 73; Socialists 4 and Progressives 25.

There is a question where the state canvassing board is vested with authority to examine the tally sheets Attorney Stead Tuesday having stated to the board that in his opinion the board could only pass upon certificates as issued by the county canvassing boards.

BRINGS BACK THE EVIDENCE

U. S. Marshal Upon Finding Witness Dead Copies Inscription from Tombstone as Evidence for the

Chicago, Dec. 12.-United States Deputy Marshal Conley was sent to Lombard, Ill., to day with a forthwith summons to produce in federal Judge Wright's court, W. G. LeRoy, wanted as an important witness in a suit. Conley found that LeRoy had been dead twelve years. He refused to be convinced, however, until he was taken to the cemetery where LeRoy was buried and he brought back a copy of the inscription on the Tombstone pinned to the writ as evidence of service.

TAFT GIVES LAST DINNER TO CABINET

Last Formal Presidential Dinner of the Present Administration to the Cabinet was Given Last Night at the White House.

formal presidential dinner of the were made public today. The system Taft administration to the cabinet was given at the white house tonight. Invited to dine with the president | tion route in the country. and Mrs. Taft, in addition to the cabinet officers and their wives, cels of merchandise, including farm of each cell, so these men could see were former vice-president and Mrs. and factory products (but not books themselves as they are, it would cure Charles W. Fairbanks, a number of and printed matter) of almost every half of them. senators and representatives, the secretary to the president and Mrs. Hilles, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Carnegie, Mr. and Mrs. William Nelson Cromwell, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Taft, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Lewisohn and Otto T. Bannard of New York.

J. J. REEVES GETS \$100

FOR PARCELS POST. Postmaster General, Frank Hitchcock has alloted Postmaster J. Reeve only \$100 with which to establish the parcels post in Jacksonville and maintain it for from two weeks to one month. Congress appropriated \$200,000 for the expenses incidental to the establishment Paul J. Morris of St. Louis, an- of the new service throughout the United States and for this reason individual postmasters are receiving but small sums of money for local expenses. The postoffice at Springfield only received \$400 for this service. Two weeks after the parcels post goes into effect Postmaster Reeve is to make a report of the expenses incidental to the system in Jackson-

CAHNCE WANTS \$20,000.

Chicago, Dec. 12.-Tto day's ses sion of the annual meeting of the American League required only an in discussing methods of shortening

With everythig apparently clear for him to take charge of the New York Americans nevt year, Frank witness to previous threats the boy Chance has delivered his opinion ac-America (Hotel Clerks) decided to of Locomotive Firemen and Engine- had made to "kill Wilson," which led cording ot despatches received here to his discharge by the dealer. The tonight that \$20,000 a year with a and men adjourned today without boy admitted in court making the five year contact is the value of his

COMPLETE CANVASS FOR POST OFFICE APPROPRIATION BILL AGGREGATING \$278,489,781 REPORTED

INCLUDES \$750,000 FOR PARCEL POST EQUIPMENT AND \$25,000 FOR COMMISSION

Post Office Committee Reports Deficiency of About \$627,000 --- New Parcel Post System Will go Into Effect January 1st --- Representative Bowman is Unseated by House and Demo-

THURSDAY IN CONGRESS .

cratic Opponent is Rejected.

Met at noon. Omnibus claims bills taken up. Archbald impeachment com-

mittee met at 1:30 p. m. Democratic senators caucused over President Taft's federal-

nominations. Senator Swanson introduced bill to appoint committee to attend unveiling of Jefferson memorial in St. Louis next year. Adjourned at 5:50 p. m. until noon Friday.

House. Met at noon.

Money trust investigation committee continued taking testimony relating to the New York stock exchange.

After stormy debate resolution declaring vacant the seat of Representative C. C. Bowman, eleventh Pennsylvania district, was adopted 153 to 118, and a resolution to seat G. R. McLean, Democratic opponent, rejected 181 to 88.

Former Governor Herrick of Ohio, urged before banking and currency committee the establishment of a system of rural credits. Representative Levy introduced a bill for currency system

Representative Bartholdt introduced a bill to limit president's of the United States to two terms of four years each. Consideration of the Indian bureau appropriation bill be-

Adjourned at 5:05 p. m., unth neon Friday.

WASHINGTON, DEC. 12.—The post office appropriation bill, aggre-\$278,489,781, including of the crowded conditio nof busi-\$750,000 for parcel post equipment ness. and \$25,000 for the parcel post tommission, was reported to the house today. The total is a decrease souri, Republican, today introduced of \$3,301,727 from last year's esti-

attributed to the expenses of th parcel post to be installed under the present law and to the postal savings bank. The estimates as to thes projects are largely speculative at

Despite the post mastergeneral's re port of a small surplus for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1911, the post office committee reported that there was a deficiency of about \$627,000 instead of a surplus of \$219,000 for that year. Similiarly, "ecording to the committee the accounts chargeable to this year may make a change in the postmaster general's audited postal deficit of \$1,785,523 for the fiscal year 1912.

Regulations to cover the workings of the new parcel post system which Washington, Dec. 12.—The last is to go into operation on Jan. 1st will affect every post office, city, rural and railway mail transporta-

> The regulations provide that pardescription up to eleven pounds in weight and measuring as much as six feet in length and girth combined. except those calculated to do injury to the mails in transit, may be mailed at any post office for delivery to Edgewater, N. J. The woods in which any address in the country Delivery will be made to the homes of persons living on rural and star routes as well as those living cities and towns where there is delivery by carrier. Where there is at present no delivery by carrier the parcels will go to the post office a n the case with ordinary mail.

The rate for the first zone, that i within distances not exceeding fifty miles, will be five cents for the first for trial. pound and three cents for each ad ditional pound. The rates increase for each successive one of the eighzones into which the country is di vided, the maximum rate twelve cents a pound, which will earry a parcel across the continent of even to Alaska and the Philippines For a fee of ten cents the parce

may be insured and if the parcel is lost in the mails an indemnity to the amount of its value not exceeding \$50 will be paid to the sender. The law provides for the use of the distimetive postage stamps, and there is day were: now being distributed a set of stamps of twelve denominations Parcel post maps, with accompany ing guides are to be sold to the pub lic at their cost 55 cents though the chief clerk of the post offic depart-

ment. Bowman is Unseated Representative Charles C. Bow man of the eleventh Pen ylvanis district was unseated by the house today by the adoption 153 to 118

of a resolution declaring that corrupt practices had been used in his election in 1910. At the same time the house refused, 181 to 88 to seat George R. McLean, his Democratic opponent. It was charged on the floor that he had been guilty of the same practices as were alleged against Bowman

The seat from the eleventh district will be vacant until March 4th, when it will be filled by John J. a Democrat, elected in Casey,

Finish Testimony Saturday. The senate today adopted an order for the closing by Saturday of the testimony in chief against Judge Robert W. Archbald, of the commerce court on trial for alleged misbehavior and misdemeanors office. Monday at 1:30 p. m., was set for the beginning of testimony for the defense. Attorneys for Judge Archbald expressed the hope

that they would complete their testimony next week. These orders resulted from the statement by Representative Clayton, chairman of the house managers that he desired all the house witnesses to be present tomorrow when the managers might conclude. In addition to notifying the witnesses to be present tomorrow the sergeant-at-arms-of the senate was directed to attach James F. Bell, a Scranton, Pa., lawyer, who failed to respond to his name today.

Want too Long a Holiday. The senate will not adopt without division the house resolution for an adjournment of two weeks for the Christmas holidays from Dec. 19th to January 2nd. Senator LaFollerte today objected to immediate consideration of a favorable report on the resolution by the appropriations move The motion prevailed and the

ject went over until tomorrow. Senator LaFollette said privately that he considered the time fixed for the recess to be too extended in view

For Two Terms Only.

Representative Bartholdt of Misa joint resolution to provide for a constitutional amendment to re-The post office department sub-! strict presidential tenure to two mitted increased estimates, partly terms of four years each "or approximately two terms, with inelegibility for re-election there-

JUDGE THINKS MIRROR IS CURE

Says Six Men Could See How They Says If Men Could See How They of Intoxication.

Chicago, Dec. 12 .- "Bailiff, get a mirror and make this man take a good look at himself", was the penalty fixed by Municipal Judge Hopkins to day when Robert L. Atkins an accountant charged with intoxication was brought before him.

Atkins took a look and begged to e allowed to go to a Turkish bath. "Hang that mirror to the wall ack of the rail and let it stay there,' said Judge Hopkins. "I want every man like this to be compelled to look at himself when he is brought to the bar of this court. I would like o have a big mirror put just outside

STRIKERS QUIT RIOTING.

New York, Dec. 12.-Quiet prevailed tonight in the neighborhood of the Susquehanna coal yards at the strikers had hidden themselves were searched during the day by heavy forces of guards. Ten arrests were made.

M'CARDU IS ARRESTED. Bedford, Iowa, Dec. 12.-Charles McCardu was arrested at Parnell. Mo, today for the shooting of two members of the Pierson family Tuesday. He will be brought here

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES.

Washington, Dec. 12 .- For IIIinois-Fair and warmer Friday; Saturday fair: moderate southwest

Temperatures. Chicago, Dec. 12 .- Current, maximum and minimum temperatures to-

f		(Jur	rent.	High.	Low.
	Boston		X	26	32	3.0
-	Buffalo	*	*1	14	18	14
-	New York			24	3:0	26
е	New Orleans .			44	46	44
	Chicago			2:0	200	3
	Detroit			1.2	16	12
	Omaha			32	32	8
	St. Paul	*		1.8	18	4
a	Helena			42	46	24
a	San Francisco			5.8	60	48
	Winnipeg	•		12	14	-10
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negro champion pugilist, was fined \$50 and costs b. Municipal Judge Goodenow, on a charge of assault Johnson struck a newspaper photographer with a cane, several weeks ago in front of the county jail. WILL MEET AT ST. PAUL. Chicago, Dec. 12 .- The executive board of the National Greeters of change and that some times the feel day to hold the 1913 meeting at St. ing of rivalry grew bitter. He went Paul, instead of Milwaukee, as or-

DECLARES N.Y. CENTRAL COURT CENSURES

SOLUTION UNDER SHERMAN LAW

ments in Ohio.

Representatives of the protesting

In the protest the stockholders of the subsidiary lines declared that would have been instituted sooner

certificates as they may mature." In protest the Venner company open question, in spite of arguments | declared: "The New York Central company

One Man and Probably Fatally In-

could reach him. Schoenbreck was a prosperous farmer of Morton Grove. He was 59 years old. Wagner was his brother-1 in-law and six years younger. It is supposed the men who had their heads muffled against the cold failed to hear the approaching train. ed," the witness was asked. The wagon was hurled against the

band is Sentenced to Ten Years'

Lockport, N. Y., Dec. 1/2 .- Mrs. i Mary M. Hanner to day was found his activity as a business agent of guilty of shooting with intent to a local union. He said he had not kill her husband, George Hanner, while they were riding in an automo- tion of the union and attempted to kneed Republican elephant and the bile. Judge Hickey imposed a sen- appoint trustees for managing the tence of imprisonment at hard labor for not less than ten years and not He denied knowing of the use of more than 15 years. Mrs. Hanner, dynamite. year old boy shot Hanner in the back the weapon she accidently shot herself in the leg. Her husband who alleged to have declared that he was since has recovered from the wound,

> New ork, Dec. 12 .- Such a wide in his pocket difference in estimates regarding the increases asked by the Brotherhood

ERS' CONVENTION HERE.

19-20-21, Sessions to be Held in

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lobby and swinging horses, fire engines, trains, drains doll houses. It is, humpty dumpty, all kinds of

omes wagons, siels, hose carts, hook and ladder wagons, books of all kinds, marbles, tops, soldiers,

fremen, soldier and firemen suits, doll furniture, bureaus, dressers, side boards, chairs, rockers, doll

dishes, ox wagons,, ice wagons, balls, bats, blackboards, Noah's arks horns, boats, rabbits, guns, tops,

attles, Christmas cards, automobiles, ships, building blocks, paints, roly polys, iron mechanical toys

and trains, air ships, pianos, magic lanterns all sizes, stoves, Christmas tree ornaments, pictures, ani-

hals on wheels, dell buggies and go-carts, toy trunks, bed steads, tricycles, desks, iron banks, doll

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in fancy boxes, box stationery, stamped linens,

handkerchiefs, singly or in Christmas boxes, kid

gloves, cut glass, fancy calendars, handbags, silk

dress patterns, silk waist patterns, white waist pat-

erns in Christmas boxes, table linens, pattern linen

cloths, napkins, lunch cloths, table, sideboard and

dresser scaris, center pieces, fancy towels,, combs,

and brushes, bedroom slippers, kimonas, bath

robes, blankets and comforts, mittens, manicure

has provided for them. The sugestions are endless,

great big clothes basket or hamper.

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S. M. T. OFFICERS.

Athens Temple No. 23, S. M. T's held their regula monthly meeting ecently. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year.

W. P.—Fannie A. Strong. V. P.—Jennie Freeman. W. S .- Medorah · Bryant. Assist, Sec.-Letitia Byers. Endow. Sec .- Ellen V. Coen. Rreas.-Kittie Brown. Trustee-Sarah Rice, E Yates, Ad-

lie Moore, Joshua I. Merriweather. M.-Myrtle Carter. J. M.-Lizzie Hall. Zilla-Anna Lillard.

O. G .- Warren Bryant. G.-J. W. Muse. Pilot-E. Mitcherson. Chaplain-Mary Robinson.

BUY STATE STREET PROPERTY Mr. and Mrs. R. P Joy have pur chased from Former Governor Rich ard Yates his residence property a 867 West State street and about April 1st next will occupy it Mr and Mrs. Paulding who have it under lease will surrender the property at that time. Mr. and Mrs Joy's new home is very desirably located and is convenient and substantially

For Father or Brother

sets, handkerchiefs, plain and initial, neckties in

boxes, underwear, gloves, cigar holders, mufflers,

silk handkerchiefs, Indian lap robes, cups and

This, That and the Other

Glassware all kinds, decorated salad dishes, cups

and saucers, fruit dishes, painted china plates,

vases, colored glass fruit dishes, holly decorating

paper, holly paper napkins, great line decorated

lamps, water sets, alluminum and plated ware.

Farmers' Grain Dealers' association, which will hold its tenth annual convention in Jacksonville, Feb. 19-20tee is composed of J. A. McCreery, Mason City; F. C. Walbaum, Ash-land; C. J. Bear, Monticello, and Roberts, Illiopolis, with A. C. Rice and Thomas R. Cain as local representatives. Messrs. Bear and Roberts were unable to be present. Speakers to be Here.

Making a program for such a ion in Iowa; Mr. Phillips of Green in the other grain producing states Valley, president of the Illinois Chicago, editor of the American -operative Journal; Thomas Lamb of Bement, ex-president of the assone association, and other men

wide reputation. Sessions in Opera House.

sessions, which commence on the morning of Feb. 19 at 10 o'clock, will be held in Grand Opera House. There will be no night session the last day of the convention. Headquarters will be established at the Pacific hotel. It is expected that over 1200 delegates will be in attendance and the chamber of commence will co-operate in seeing that the large number of delegates are

to be held here would be one of the the grain shippers of the state." best in the history of the organiza-Next Thursday the committee will hold a meeting in Springfield and the first week in January another meeting will take place in Jacksonville, at which time it is expected that the program will have been completed for publication

Growth of Organization. The growth of the Grain Dealers' association has been wonderful in Illinois. There are now 300 corporations, aggregating a membership of 30,000. This has all been accom- you for calling our attention plished since the association was formed in Springfield in February, 1903. At that time there were twenthe state. The growth of the association has been more advanced in the northern part of the state and more systematized. Rapid progress is being made in the central part of the state and the lines are being extended to the southern borders.

Morgan County Corporations. The following corporations are now in operation in Morgan county, Meredosia, Chapin, Joy Prairie, Literberry, Strawn's Crossing, Prentice, Arnold, Rees Crossing. Alexander has just about completed their list to form a corporation of \$10,000 The commissioners are Benjamin Davenport, George Cocking and

Jacksonville Corporation.

A movement is also on foot form a corporation in Jacksonville and at a later date more details of the plans here will be given. Murrayville is also making arrangements to join the other organization. This will make eleven corporations in Jacksonville, with an approximate membership of 1100.

Opportunity to Farmers. The state gathering to be held here will give the farmers of Morgan county a splendid opportunity to get

At the GRAND

TONIGHT

And Saturday Afternoon and Night.



That Classy Comedienne.

MAY MULLIGAN

Her specialty work is of a very high order. Remem-

poses of the Grain Dealers' associa tion. Briefly the object of the asso-PROGRAM MEETS "To advance the commercial interests of the co-operative organizations ciation is sumed up in its by-laws: of Illinois engaged in the handling of grain, inculcate just and equitable INITIAL STEP FOR GRAIN DEAL. principles of trade, acquire, preserve and disseminate valuable

information, and to encourage frequent intercourse and consultation among its members for the promo-Association of Farmers of the State tion of common interests. to Assemble in Jacksonville Feb. Railroad Rate Law.

The association is aiding the farm

er in a great many ways. Recently Grand Opera House-Association the association became aware of the fact the railroads were trying to put into effect a new rate sched-The program committee of the ule on grain, adding a cent to the already established rate, would mean over a million dollars that the farmers would have to pay. 21, held a meeting at the Pacific ho- The Arnold Farmers' Elevator comtel Thursday evening. The commit- pany took up the matter and recently T. R. Cain wrote the following letter to well known commission firms of the state. His letter in sub

stance follows: Letter of T. R. Cain.

Gentlemen: As you are probably aware there is an effort being made Gentlemen: As you are probably aware there is an effort being made meeting as the association holds is on the part of the railroad companies no small affair, and considerable cor- to put into effect a new rate schedule rspondence is necessary in order to on grain from Illinois, which makes secure the speakers desired. Among an advance of one cent per hundred those who will be heard during the on all grain in whatever direction three days' convention include Chas. shipped, and if put into effect will Adkins, ex-speaker of the house of cost the farmers of this state a milrepresentatives, of Bement; E. R. lion and one-half dollars, which is Dunn, who ran for governor on the discriminating against the farmers Democratic ticket in the recent elec- of this state, as there is no increase

We have been informed that this Bankers' association; W. R. Myers matter is now up to the transportation committee of the Chicago board of trade to say whether or not they will be satisfied with the proposed ialtion; /H. W. Danforth of Wash- advance, and if they are not there ngton, Ill., first vice-president of will be no question about it being defeated.

We write you asking you to pro test most vigorously against this inhas been determined that the crease in the rate on grain, as it is unfair and will cause a great loss to the farmers of this state.

Believing you will, as the co-opative companies of Illinois remember it, and thanking you in advance

Arnold Farmers' Elevator Co., By T. R. Cain. Some Answers Received.

Among some of the answers receiv well cared for during their stay in ed were the following from Chicago firms in brief: Beach-Wickham The program committee was a unit Grain company: "We are certainly in their belief that the convention opposed to anything that will injure

Requa Brothers: "We will do out est in the matter outlined. I realize the situation and consider it a very mportant matter. McKenna & Rodgers: "We will

se our best efforts to have the rates ontinue as they are. C. H. Thayer & Co.: "We assure

you that we are going to do all in our power here to help you out on the same. Armour Grain Co.: "Will be pleas-

ed to look into the matter and thank Officers of the Association.

The following are the officers of the association: President-Fred Walbaum, Ash-

Jacksonville. Treasurer-J. B. Abbott, Mason

First vice-president-A. C. Rice,

Secretary-J. A. McCreery, Mason

Directors E. M. Johnston, Pontiae; J. R. McCabe, Ludlow; T. S. Preston, Triumph; George Drennen, Edinburg; C. J. Bear, Monticello; J. U. Surface, Mason City; L. H. Olmstead. Somonauk.

WITH THE SICK.

City Engineer E. M. Henderson, who has been ill for a number of days is able to be out

Miss Jessie Vasconcellos has gone to Springfield to see her sister. Miss Harriet Vasconcellos, who is ill in St. John's hospital. Miss Harriet's condition remains about the same. Edward Ferry is confined to his home on Ashland avenue by illness. Little Roy Stout is seriously ill at the home of his parents on rearl

street.

Fresh oysters at Clark & Devore's.

Customers having pictures to be ramed kindly leave them with us We will appreciate it. C. S. Martin, W. State St.

Be sure and attend the minstrel show at the high school Friday night

CARD OF THANKS. We wish to extend our heartfelt

thanks to all our neighbors and friends for the kindness shown as during the illness and after the death of our husband and father. Mrs. Lydia Faugust,

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W. R. C. The W. R. C. will meet this afterthe election of officers.

are urged to attend. Mary H. Waller, Pres. Alice Taylor, Press Cor.

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Have Compelled Her to Alter Her charge of home defense and Stratagetic Line.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 12 .- The posiion of the liberal party ont he proposition laid down last week by Premier Borden that Canada should vote \$35,000,000 for the cost of three super-dreadnaughts to be addy Sir Wilfrid Laurier, its leader. No emergency was facing Great Britain, he said, but changed conditions one of security. His remedy for the Britain was compelled to remove

centration in Europe, those ships should be replaced by ships built, maintained, equipped and manned No Emergency Now Faces Great by that colony. It was the Austral-Britain But Changed Conditions ian policy that Australia should take should also be the Canada.

NO HOPE OF

ELECTING GALLINGER Washington, Dec. 12. Regular Republicans in the senate today practically abandoned hope of elected to the British navy, subject to ing Senator Gallinger president pro noon at 2:30 at G. A. R. hall for recall by Canada, was set forth to- tempore when Senator LaFollette let day on the resumption of the debate it known that he would not vote for the New Hampshire member.

Senators Bristow, Dixon and Poindexter have been the only Progreshave compelled her to alter her sive Republican known to be actively stratagetic line, hitherto assentially opposed to the regular nominee since the last session and it had been suggested that with Senator LaFallette's support he probably would British ships in order to allow con-

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Fine cases for collars, neckties and shirts, shaving articles, safety and regular razors, smokers' articles, military sets and fountain pens \$1.00 to \$12.00

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a box of Belle Meade Sweets. All the bright fresh, new novelties at the East Side Store. Toys and dolls of all ki ls for boys and girls at West Side Store.

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7 West Side Square. Let us Do Your Developing and Finishing,

H. J. Bird of Mattoon was a city

visitor yesterday. Roy Abernathy of Concord made the city a visit yesterday.

Miss Sadie Lynch of Chapin shopping in the city Thursday. Mrs. Fred Brown of Bluffs shopping in the city yesterday. Carroll Sumpter of Meredosia was

John Heneghan of Springfield is visiting with friends in the city. J. E. Walker of Beardstown was

calling on city friends yesterday. Mrs. William Coultas of Lynnville was shopping in the city Thursday. Mrs. Charles Wagsdale of Murray-

Mrs. Ed Henry of St. Louis is visiting her sister, Mrs. George W. Scott. Mrs. Mary Parrish of Terre Haute, Ind., is visiting friends in the city. T. B. Forrester of Springfield was calling on city business men yester-

Edward Wilson of Winchester was Mrs. File of Waverly were shoppers business caller in the city yester-in the city Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Doyle of

Miss Lois Yeck of Concord visited among the visitors in the city yesterher sister, Mrs. Henry Maul yester-

day from Meredosia. J. A. Brown of Milton was among from a visit with her sister, Mrs. the business men of the city yester- Robert Clark at Chapin.

E. O. Cully of the northern part ter Coultas of Winchester were visitof the county was in the city yester- ors in the city Thursday.

Walter Duckwall of Lynnville was turned Thursday from a visit of sevamong the callers in the city yester-

residents of Timewell, were Jackson-M. Gibson was a business visitor in the city yesterday from Peters- ville visitors yesterday.

Waverly were calling in the city yeson city friends yesterday. itors in the city yesterday.

Harold Strawn of Orleans was among the arrivals in the city yes-

For a good pocketknife or razor go to Gay's Reliable Hardware. Mrs. Anna Pearn of Ashland was among the shoppers in the city yes-

Howard Hodgson of Ashland was Thursday business caller in Jack-C. C. Armstrong of Granite City

C. O. Johnson of Virginia was transacting business in the city yes-

Mrs. Ned Brown of Bluffs was among the arrivals in the city yes-

William Morrisey was transacting

Miss Anna Ridder of Alexander was a shopper with city merchants

Miss Katherine Brengle of Win-

Read The Journal chester was shopping in the city

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pay and at every price, something worth while.

CITY AND COUNTY

was transacting business in the city

Mrs. Charles Baker and children

were Thursday visitors in the city

Our pure little pork sausage, 200

Byrle Spires of Arenzville was

among the business callers in Jack-

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown and

W. S. Carver and mother were

Mrs. W. H. Phillips has returned

Mrs. G. E. Coultas and Mrs. Ches-

Mrs. Ernest C. Roach and baby re-

F. E. Williams and John Garner

Mrs. Edward Shibe residing in the

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hopper and

William Ishmael of the Ebenezer

west part of the county was calling

wife of Sinclair were among the vis

neighborhood was transacting busi-

Minnie Miner of Waverly were shop

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reynolds o

Twin Falls, Idaho, are visiting Mrs.

Affred Faugust has returned to

John M. Tennis, D. A. Chambers

and S. W Sheinberger were among

the business visitors in the city yes

John Updegrove of Chicago repre

senting Sweet, Orr Co., manufactur-

ers of pants, was calling on F.

Garland &Co. yesterday. Mrs. James M. Duer of Wausau

Wis., is here for a visit with her

Ellis Farnsworth of Chicago, pas

senger agent of the Missouri Pacific

and Iron Mountain, was transacting

barents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Cham

bers, 839 West State street

business in the city Thursday.

Miss Elsie Aach of Danvi

T. W. Lane and family or this city

his home in Waverly, Ia., after at-

tending the funeral of his brother

ness in the city Thursday.
Mrs. William Pawley and

ping in the city Thursday.

Oscar Faugust.

terday from Meredosia

eva Morrison

city Thursday.

Widmayer's.

J. Roy Harney.

roat of this city

e city yesterday.

sonville Thursday.

J. C. Joaquin is confined to his home by illness.

William Hammer of Springfield was a city visitor yesterday.

a caller in the city yesterday.

ville was a city shopper yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Aring of Franklin were among the visitors Neelyville were city shoppers yester- in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Bateman of

Jacob Conkey of Manchester was tranasacting business in the city yes-

is the guest of his son, Byron Arm-

business in the city Thursday from

Mr. and Mrs. John Sayre were representatives of Lynnville in the city

a business visitor in the city Thursday. Miss Aach expects to leave next Monday for Los Angeles, Calif., to spend the winter.

Homer Van Dyke of Irving was in he city Thursday. Mr. Van Dyke s traveling for the Pope Manufacturing company and thinks of moving his family here in January.

Mrs. J. B. Hankens and daughter of Mt. Sterling were in the city Thursday on their way to Litchfield to spend the winter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson.

C. P. Lindsey of Hamilton, Ill., i in the city visiting at the home of James W. Brown on Routt street. Mr. Lindsey has been attending the meeting of the horticultural association at Champaign and stopped off to visit his friends here. His wife is a sister of Mr. Brown and he is a man who has risen high in horticultural circles and is a grower of fine fruits with strawberries as

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furs at the right price will finde them at FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store. NEW PASTOR AT TALLULA.

Rev. Fred M. Lindenmeyer of Pickering, Mo., has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Christian church of Tallula and preached his first sermon last Sunday. The church has been without a pastor for sev

Joseph Scheferkort of Alexander ACCUSED SLAYER OF VIRDEN POLICEMAN COMMITS SUICIDE

Body of Ben Aimone Found Under Edward Dobson was among the House Where Shooting Took Place visitors in the city yesterday from Thursday Afternoon.

Mrs. H. E. Rose of Ripely is in the city visiting her sister, Miss Gen-Thursday afternono about 3:30 clock the body of Ben Almone, Mrs. Sherman Luttrell of Wavcharged with the killing of night erly was among the shoppers in the policeman John Shaw at Virden Tuesday afternoon, was found under the residence of Dominik Bernardo. lb., is delicious—it's unequalled. where the shooting took place.

Some children playing in the yard Mrs. Baker of Waverly spent at Bernardo residence noticed some Thursday in the city, a guest of Mrs. thing lying under the house and when they gave the alarm, Aimone's Mrs. William Coverly of Chicago body was discovered. The remains is isiting her mother, Mrs. G. C. Rexgave evidence of having been under the house for some time and a bul-Mrs Charles Co ever and daugh- let hold was found in the head. I ter, residents of Ashland, were in is thought that Aimone crawled unthe city yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. William Redshaw of der the house shortly after the tragedy and later shot himself with his Winchester were business callers in own revolver.

The man arrested at Owaneco was released shortly after he was taken to Virden and it was found that he was not Ben Aimone. John Aimone brother of the alleged murderer, and Baptiste Savene, who were in the house when the shooting occurred, were released from custody and at the inquest held over the remains of Shaw, the jury held Ben Aimone quilty of the murder.

Dominik Bernardo, his wife and daughter and Mike Verzini, all of whom were injured in the shooting during Aimone's visit to the Berardo home are improving and it is not thought that the injuies will result fatally to any of them.

By far the greatest assortment of 50c neckwear ever shown is displayed at FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store.

AT THE GRAND.

"Bizzy Izzy" was the offering at the Grand Thursday evening which was attended by an audience of fair proportions. The play is quite well named a "foolish pastime", as it abounds with comedy and funny sitnations. It was well presented by George Sidney, as Izzy Mark and Miss Carrie Weber, as Rosetta, the organ grinder, supported by a large and capable company.

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ENTERTAINMENT AT

PISGAH SCHOOL entertainment and box supper will be given at Science Hill Schoolhouse at Pisgah Thursday evening, December 19, and the following program will be given.

Dialogue-"In was Of A Servant Characters. Mr. Marshall, Howard Howsier; Mrs. Marshall, Irene Nolls; Margaret O'Flanagan, Mabel Curry Katherine Von Sollenstein, Bertha Gunnells; Snowdrop Washington, Ethel Henry; Mrs. Bunker Watham Son Freddie, Edward Witham.

Music. "An Economical Boomerang" Mr. Alex Dableton, Otto Wood; Mrs. Alex Dableton, Beulah Cumming; Mr. Bird Plover, Coy Harris: Mrs. Bird Plover, Bernice Wood; The Doctor, Truman Gibson; Maggie the maid, Mollie Harris.

Turkey supper by Northminster ladies tonight at 5 p. m. Price 40c.

EASTERN STAR ELECTION. At the regular meeting Thursday

evening the members of the Wilber Chapter No. 358, Order of Eastern Star, held their annual election o officers with the following result: Worthy Matron-Mrs. Ida Craw

Worthy Patron-W. A. Crawley. Associate Matron-Mrs. Velma Rowland.

Secretary-Miss Mae Scott. Treasurer-Miss Anna Loar. Conductress - Mrs. G. F. LaRue. Associate Conductress -Miss Fern

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INSTITUTE AT MURRAYVILLE The sunday school institute held at the new Methodist church at Murrayville Thursday was largely attended, the Baptists and Presbyterians being largly represented as well as the Methodists. During the afternoon a conference was held by Arthur Swain and Nellis Crane and at the evening meeting George M. Miller of Paris gave a very helpful address on "The Grater Vision". The next institute will be held at the Methodist church in Franklin to day

G. A. R. NOTICE.

Attention Matt Starr Post No. 378 A. R. Stated meeting tonight at 30 at hall on West Morgan street. Election of officers, A good attend-E. C. Scott,

MAY VOTE ON POSTMASTER. There are several candidates for he office of postmaster at Blooming ton and the suggestions has been made by one of the citizens of that place that a vote of the people be

held on the question, and the most popular candidate be endorsed for appointment. The citizen hought the preferential primary would be a good way of getting an opinion from the public. The exense would have to be borne by the ompeting candidates as the law proides for no such elections.

PIANO STORE MOVED. Charles S. Sheppard, who has been conducting the Baldwin piano store

on South Main street, moved Thursday to his new headquarters in the Odd Fellows building on East State

WILL READ "VANITY FAIR"
"Vanity Fair" wil be read by Prof.
H. Clarke of the U. C. as the third attraction in the Artists' Course at the Woman's college Saturdap evening at 8 p. m. in Music Hall. Tickets on sale at Brown's Music Store. \$1 single admission.



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> Do your Christmas shopping here. There's a wealth of choice gift possibilities to chose from, at 25c or up to \$25. See our windows.

RECITAL AT I. W. C.

Program Will be Given Tonight by

Expression Students. recital under the direction of the School of Expression of the Woman's college, of which Miss Amanda Kidder is the director, will be given this evening in Music hall, to which the public is cordially invited. The following is the program:

What Sandy Claws Brought Pop

The Promised Land

.......Anna Fellows Johnston Ara Large. An Apostle to the Genteels

Mona Summers. Scene from "The Lion and the Mouse" Vera Tomlin. Bobby Unwelcome

..... Annie Hamilton Donnell Nance Shirding. Scene from "If I Were King" Justin McCarthy

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est known-known as best. Gay's Reliable Hardware. Be sure and attend the minstrel show at the high school Friday night

HELD INTERESTING MEETING Thursday afternoon the reguar monthly meeting of the Woman's Missionary society of Grace church was held at the home of Mrs Charles Hopper. There was a fine attendance and many greetings from those who could not attend were read The devotional exercises were led by Miss Groves and interesting reports were given by the various officers. Mrs. John Ward read an interesting paper on missions and during the meeting it developed that in the society there are thirty-six subscribers to the home mission paper, "The Woman's 'Home Missions' Much interest was manifest by the members and it was planned to send away another barrel before Christmas. A plan for making money developed and an interesting exercise. with an enigma was given. Each member was assigned a number and the society was divided into two sides the odds on one and the evens on the other, for a friendly contest for new members. Seven new members were reported since the last meeting and after refreshments wee served the society adjourned to meet January

9, 1913 with Mrs. Graham. Holiday neckwear and combination sets in many styles are shown by FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store,

PUBLIC SALE.

Attend Geo. Jameson's public sale at farm five miles southeast of Jacksonville Wednesday, Dec. 18, beginning at 10:30 o'clock.

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IONA COUNCIL OFFICERS. Iona Council Degree of Poca-

nontas held an election Thursday night resulting as follows: Pocabontas-Mrs. Lottie Hagood Weonna-Mrs. Lizzie Reed. Prophetess-Mrs. George Koch. Phawapan-W. J. Brooks. Keeper of wampum-Mrs Lizzie

Keeper of records-Mrs. Ella M Brooks eighteen moons-Mrs

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MATRIMONIAL

Kastrup-Bealmear.

Bolton-Bealmear.

A very pretty double wedding was

olemnized Thursday evening at the

nome of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bear-

mear one and one-half miles south-

west of Sinclair, when their two

chaming daughters became brides

Miss Edith became the wife of Mr

Dwight Kastrup of Jacksonville and Miss Louise was wedded to Mr. Ros

The ceremony was performed by

Rev. F. A. McCarty of Jacksonville

in the presence of about forty guests Mrs. Charles Bealmear, a cousin o

the brides played Mendelssohn's wedding march. The bridal party

stood beneath a beautiful canopy

gowned in white, the materials being

un's veiling and lace. Mrs. Kas-

The young ladies were born and

ment much of their time in Jack

onville for the past two years. Both

are well known and highly regarded

After the ceremony and congratu

by Mrs. C. H. Wilson, Mrs.

tions the guests were seated to a

delightful wedding dinner. This was

Charles Bealmear and Mrs. Ernest

Mr. Kastrup is the son of Mr. and William Kastrup of South

Church street, Jacksonville and was

always lived here. He is a young

their home all ready at 606 South

wedding trip through California and

'exas, they will begin housekeeping.

Mr. Bolton is a rising young busi-

in the cafe business. He has always lived in Texas and is well and favor

The wedding guests were met at

the station by automobiles and taken

to the Bealmear home and returned

The young people left Friday on

the Chicago & Alton followed by the

deep interest and congratulations of

Timian-Graff.

The marriage of Julius Timian,

on of O W. Timian of Ashland and

Miss Myrtle Graff was solemnized

Wednesday evening at 5 o'clock at

the home of the bride's mother, Mrs.

Washington Graff, two miles south of

Ashland. The attendants were Miss

Helen Gist and Miss Parthenia Graff.

The groomsmen were Stewart Wyatt

The bride and groom are recent

shool. The groom being employed

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Graff and son

graduates of the Ashland high

n the implement store of his father.

Byron, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Graff and

aughter Miss Fariee were among

he guests who attended from Jack-

Relatives here have received in ormation of the marriage of John

Arenz of Peoria to Miss Edna Hale

and Mrs William Kaden in Peoria,

Dec. 9th, Rev. Mr. Archer, pastor of

rformed at the residence of

the Hale Memorial M. E church.

ceremony. Mrs. Arenz has been

Omaha and is a young lady who is

nighly esteemed in her home city

Mr. Arenz has a responsible position with the Westinghouse Co., and

doing well in the business world. Mr

and Mrs. A. W. Arenz and Miss

Helen Hussey of Springfield went to

Neat fountain pens; Obermeyer's

JAPANESE VISITOR HERE. Miss Kane Akilo, a Japanese Bibl

voman of Tokyo, Japan, arrived in Jacksonville Thursday from Dnever and is the guest of Miss Blunt. She

a Y. W. C. A. boarding home for

young women in Tokyo, attending

o 1900 the great need in Japan was

overnment has made such ample

Peoria for the wedding.

Omaha, Neb. The ceremony was

Mr.

Arenz-Hale.

host of admiring friends.

o their new home.

n the same way.

and William Timian.

After an extended

brides were handsomely

of green and white with a

ground of pretty plants.

reared near Sinclair.

Bolton of Dallas, Texas.

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Pick While Pickings Are Good

Seeded Raisins, 3 1-lb packages for 25:	Citron, Orange & Lemon Peel, per lb 25c	Milk, 3 large tall or 6 small cans for 25c	
Cleaned Currants 2 1-lb packages for 25c.	New pack Tomatoes, large cans.	Pure New Orleans Molasses, per gal, 60c	
Pancake Flour, 3 packages for 25c	Long handled toy Brooms, 4 for 25c	Whisk Brooms, 4 for 25c	
Dates, 3 large packages for 25c	Imperial tea, 30c per lb	Home-m'de Mince Meat, 2 lbs, 25c	

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We use care in selecting the meat we offer our customand you will find the choicest beef, veal, pork and and mutton here.

Live and dressed poultry. Good selection of fish.

DORWART'S

Cut Glass Specials This Week

TO SEE THE PROPERTY OF THE PRO	
Optic tumblers with cut star, each	10c
Cut Glass fern dishes with liner, each	
8-inch deep bowl with three large whirling stars, diagonal	
	3,50
	3.00
	1.25
	31.75
	75e
	1.50
Water pitcher, tankard shape, aster cutting, each	2.50
Goblets to match pitcher, aster cutting, set \$	32.50
Footed sherbet or sundae glasses, aster cutting, set\$	2.00
Cut glass vases, aster cutting, 8-luch, each	1.00
Cut glass vases, aster cutting, 10-inch, each	
Cut glass vases, aster cutting, 12 inch, each	2.50

See Our Window For Other Cut Class Specials

cerning Missing \$20,000. Chicago, Dec. 12 .- The taking of

ridence in the contempt cases against Dr. W. T Kirby, private banker and Mrs. irby, were re-opened suddenly today in Judge Landis' federal court, after counsel for the defense had began closing The cause of the re-opening was a

sudden declaration by Attorney Healy for the prosecution that within ten minutes he had come into possession of positive evidence concerning the \$20,000 missing assets of the collapsed bank. the where abouts of which the court leavoring to ascertain. Dr. and Mrs. Kirby have testified that the money was .ost to "wire tappers in a horse acing swindle.

Judge Landis announced that Mr. Healy's wtiness would be heard to

MRS. JACOBSON ON STAND. vas brought into a small room by a letective and there confronted with the skull and some of the bones of her husband laid on a white cloth was told on the witness stand n the supreme court today by Mrs. Annie Jacobson, who with her son Edgar son-in-law Rev. Charles N Emelius, is on trial for the alleged

nurder of August Jacobson. Mrs. Jacobson said a detective es

office, and continued: "When I went in right in front o me they had some bones on a white cloth. They began t oexplain some thing about the bones and I told them I was sick and wanted to go away. The detective said I wasn' ick because I felt bad about my husband for I had hated him. The he said I had lied about all that I said in answer to their questions."

ROOSEVELT LEAVES CHICAGO QUIETLY

After Having Spent Three Days at the Progressive Conference He Leaves For His Home.

Chicago, Dec. 12.-Colonel Roosevelt left quietly today, after having spent three days at the Progressive conference here.

Mr. Roosevelt left his hotel pracically unobserved, accompanied b lovernor Robert P. Pass of New Hampshire and Medill McCormick notoring to the railway station. Entering by a rear door they passed in to the main waiting room and upstairs to the train shed. Not more than half a dozen persons, perhaps, recognized the former president There was no demonstration.

"Good bye, boys; I've had a grand was the colonel's parting re

GET SIX YEARS IN PPRISON.

United States cavalry who shot an killed a policeman on the Mexica sde of the international line, man of fine spirit and enviable reputation in this community. He is september, was sentenced to telegraph operator and ticket clerk yars in the stateprison at Hern the employe of the C. B. & Q. mossillo, Mexico.

STATE GRANKE ADJOURNS: Rockford, Ill., Dec. 12.-Stat grange today closed its annual meeting at Belvidere, after selecting Al ton for the 1913 meeting. The state body went on record for equal suffrage.

ably known in Dallas business circles. DISCONTINUE NORTHERN SHIPMENTS Mr. and Mrs. Bolton will go at once

Grape Fruist Are Now on Way North-Fear Market Congestion.

Jacksonville, Fla., Dec. 12 .- To prevent a congestion of northern fruit markets and a corresponding lowering of prices, W. C. Temple general manager of the Florida Citrus Exchange, today instructed al members of the exchange to discontinue shipment of fruit until further orders. It is expected the exchange practically controls the Florida fruit crop. The order explained that six thousand cars of oranges and grape fruit now are enroute or in the hands of northern merchants. The country's consumption is said to average 500 car loads a day.

PEACE COMMITTE ARRIVE.

London, Dec. 12 .- The Greek Servian and Montenegrin peace committees arrived here tonight from Paris. They wee greeted at th Charing Cross Station by a cosmopoli tan crowd, which included the Greek archimandrite and members of the various legislation.

FIRE AT BARTONVHLE.

Peoria, Dec. 13.—Fire originating from an overheated electric sterilizer in the woman's hospital at the Illinois State Insane asylum at Bartonville at midnight caused a temporary panic among the patients. For time the blaze seemed dangerous and 136 patients were removed to anstenographer in the State bank of other building. Firemen, however, succeeded in controlling the flames The loss to the building is nominal CHURCH DESTROYED BY FIRE.

Peoria, Ill., Dec. 12-The Amish church, at Morton, Ill., said to be the largest church of this religious sect in the state, was destroyed by fire early this morning.

overnment schools here. From 1880 laren at the head.

"Freckles" has been playing in the mission schools for New England states and will go to Japanese women but since 1900 the Boston for a run "The Sun Dodgers" isto be revived provision for the education of young with Bessie Wynn, George Monroe

women that boarding homes for and Harry Fisher in the cast. their protection form the present. It is rumored that Fritzi It is rumored that Fritzi Scheff Miss Aklio is selling fancy will return to the Metropolitan Opera articles for the benefit of the home, company in light opera roles.



YOU'LL never see any weather in this part of the world that's cold enough to get through one of these fur-collared overcoats.

Great for a Christmass gift to a man, or a woman; indispensable for winter driving, or for any time when you have to be out in the cold.

> It will resist all the assaults of the bitterest winter wind; and keep the wearer warm. Quilted silk-lined with fur collar \$30, \$40 and \$50.

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What's an evening at home to the man without a smoking jacket? We're showing a very handsome line, \$5.00 to \$10.

What shall I give to father? He will be fully surprised if you select a nice umbrella or something in leather goods. A gift that will serve him many years to come.



We sell things men like, things men use. Choose here and you'll make no mistake.

Can you think of some thing better than a necktie selected from our special combination sets?

And our display of Jewelry is wonderful! Cuff Links, Tie Pins, full dress sets, all in pearl, sterling silver and gold. Prices from



The Christmas

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Columbia Grafanola, the most perfect music and sound reproducer of modern times-and a lasting gift of great value. Howard Maxim, the great inventor, pronounces the Columbia the highest quality in talking machine construction, and surely his knowledge is of great importance. Come in and let us demonstrate the clear tones of the wonderful Columbia and show you the several different styles that would be an added attraction to any

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This is a shoe store for progressives, for everything is up to date in our stock and in our repair department.

Just now big cut in all Men's Shoes. \$5 Superior bench made shoes at \$3.50.

Shoes repaired while you wait. Men's half soles .. _ _ 50e Ladies' half sole 40c Men's half soles, sewed ...60c Rubber heels 40c

205 EAST MORGAN STREET

SUPT. BLAIR BELIEVES IN ALL SCHOOL CONFERENCES

ime and Expense Teachers Have in Attending Meetings is Accounted Profitable by Head of Public Instruction of State.

Francis G. Blair, state superintendent of public instruction, in speaking on the subject of "The University 'High School Conference,"

"There is good reason to inquire whether we have not reached the limit, or even gone beyond it, of and clubs. In counties where the during the school year boards of education may be called upon to dismiss school three or four times a year in order that teachers may attend county or district or state Whether there are too many such meetings or not is a question which should be considered carefully by teachers and superintendents as well as boards of education. However, the question to be asked and influence of a lofty example not only answered concerning the dismissal for any particular meeting or conference is-Will the teachers get enough out of it to pay them for attending and to justify the board of education for closing the schools and paying their salaries while in attendance If the new ideas and suggestions obtained send the teachers back to their work with increased power and enthusiasm to teach and to lead their children, any board of education can justify the dismissal school upon good business grounds.

"It is the opinion of competent judges that the university high school conference pays teachers for the time and expense of attending it and amply justifies boards of educaion for making it possible for them to attend. While the aim of the conference is to establish and maintain friendly and helpful relations between the university and its accredited schools, it affords a good opportunity for serious and profitable study of high school questions.

"There are many matters peculiar to secondary instruction and administration which high school teachers may best study in a high school conference. It is to be hoped, however, that in Illinois we shall not produce a high school consciousness or guild as distinct from the common school consciousness and guild. In some states this separation is almost as marked as the division be tween public schools and private High school teachers and elementary teachers are members all of the same body, paid out of the same funds and set apart for the same big work-the teaching of the children of the common schools. They have much more in common than they have in difference. There is no doubt great gain to teachers engaged in special phases of common school work meeting together in small groups, separate sections or conferences. However, no one familiar with the situation can fail to see the growing tendency to consider the high school as a thing apart and senarate from the common school. with separate and distinct aims and a new and peculiar brand of ideals and teachers. Any influence which tends to pull the high school and lementary school apart is bad; any

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

and in administration is good."

influence which tends to keep them

together in aim, in spirit, in method

The board of county commissioners meet next Monday, December 16th for their December session. All bills against the county should be filed not later than Saturday. Dec. Warrants for claims will be Saturday, Dec. 21st.

C. A. Boruff, county clerk.

School for the Blind feels itself deprived of an able officer, of a friend to whom everyone of us was deeply attached and who was an inspiration to our whole corps of teachers.

Mr. Jewell was one of the strong men whose lives and deeds have added much to the history of the Illnois School for the Blind. Throughout a long life of service he commanded the respect and confidence of his co-laborers by his quiet strength, dignity and refinement of preparation for his task; annual teachers' institute is held enormous and untiring capacity for detailed work and his very human

> Into his life-work, he poured his work in its perfection was truly that the Braille system of music and literature is in use. This history of his service is set down in the record of this institution and it will live in the in the school but in the whole cause of the education of the blind.

> > Signed R. W. Woolston, Lillian A. Smith Susan A. Draper, George W. Gerlach, Louise B. Ingalls.

A WORD FOR TAG DAY.

At this the Christmas season th spirit of unsefishness and benevolence on the part of our citizens toward the poor of our city is a source of great satisfaction and help to the board of directors and the su perintendent of the Associated Chari-While the heart is warm with the spirit of giving let us not forget the Tag Day Fund. When poor peo ple are sick they are doubly help less, and no one knows but one who makes the rounds of these desolate homes what a boon this hospital fund is. There is no gift which can bestow greater blessing than a contribution to this fund. So let us share with those less fortunate than ourselves, and make Tag Day a greater success this year than it has ever been, and remember "the Lord loveth a cheerful giver." Let the day be bright with smiles, generosity and good fellowship.

Emma S. Weller, Supt. Associated Charities.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR

HOLIDAY EXCURSION The Chicago, Peoria and St. Louis Railway will sell round trip excursion tickets on account of the Christmas and New Year Holidays, at reduced rates, between certain stations on its Tickets will be on sale from 21st to Jan 1st, inclusive, good for return passage until and including Jan. 3, 1913. For complete information as to rates, time of trains, etc., call on nearest Chicago Peoria and St. Louis Railway Ticket Agent or address H. R. Williams, Traveling Passenger Agent, Peoria,

JUSTICE COURTS.

Herb Frye was fined \$3 and costs Squire Coons' court Thursday on a charge of drunkenness.

Steve Stout was assessed a fine of \$3 and costs on a charge of drunkenness in Squire Coons' court Thurs-

Bert Cannon and Mrs. Anna Wise, next term of circuit court to answer to a charge of adultery furnished bond Thursday and were released from custody.

Arthur Brown of Perry, Ill., was visiting with relatives and friends in the city Thursday and also attended the banquet of Urania lodge I. O. O F. last night.

SUCCESSFUL BAZAAR AND

Ladies' Aid of Brooklyn Church Served Delicious Chicken Pie Sup

per to Many Last Evening. The Brooklyn church last night was the scene of one of the most ensuppers held this season.

fair was promoted by the Ladies Aid of the church and they are due great credit for their work of the evening. The aid in the last year has doubled its membership and is now in a prosperous and growing Clements condition. Mrs. J. H. forming new teachers' associations character; the thoroughness of his president of the aid, and the members and friends of the society who helped Thursday night are to be congratulated on the evening's suc

> Those in charge of the various whole soul and intelligence and his tables at the bazaar were as follows: Aprons-Mrs. Eva Potter, chairassociations or confer of an artist. The products of his man, Mrs. Follensbee, Mrs. Harry a thousand dollars at least as the the city yesterday in their Mitchell

> > Fancy work-Mrs. Charles Sheppard, chairman, Miss Nina Kelly. Cakes, jellies, piec, etc.-Mrs. De

> > amp, chairman, Miss Platt. Home made rugs-Miss Colwell. Candy-Miss Nina Wright's class Red Cross booth-Mrs. Dr. Stacy. The supper tables were in charge of Mrs. Redding and Mrs. Moon. Committees in charge of the super arrangements were as follows: Coffee-Mrs. John Wright and

Mrs. Sarah Reeve. Mashed potatoes-Mrs. W. Brittenham, and Mrs Everett Whit

Potter. Plum puddings-Mrs. Moon. The chicken ples for the suppe were prepared individually by the

members and friends of the aid so

Cooking cranberries-Mrs. Eva

BEST \$5 HE EVER SPENT.

Bristol, Pa., Man Says So in This Letter.

Months of suffering and anxiety over his condition caused Mr. A. L Kennedy of Bristol, Pa,. to write this letter. He says: "Grippe and a bad cough caused me much suffering and worry for five long months, but that is all over now for I have taken Vinol and am perfectly well. I took five bottles and it was the best five dollars I ever spent."

In health one cannot realize how depressed a person may become after trying one remedy after another for such a condition as Mr Kennedy was in, without benefit, o what a relief it is to find help and be restored to health and strength it is the combined action of the medicinal curative element of cods livers without the greasy oil, aided by the blood-making and strength creating properties of tonic iron, tha makes Vinol so efficient in over coming chrone coughs, colds and bronchitis at the same time building up the weakened run-down system. We guarantee Vinol to give you

Lee P. Allcott, druggist. P. S. For rough, scaly skin, try our Saxo Salve We guarantee it.

QUICK RELIEF

perfect satisfaction.

FOR RHEUMATISM. George W. Koons, Lawton, Mich. Rheumatism has given my wife wonderful benefit for rheumatism. She could not lift hand or foot, had to be lifted for two months. who were sent to jail in default of began the use of the remedy and bonds for their appearance at the improved rapidly. On Monday she could not move and on Wednesday she got up, dressed herself and walked out for breakfast." Sold by L. P. Allcott, druggist.

> MARRIAGE LICENSES. Dwight Kastrup, Jacksonville;

Madie Edith Bealmear, Sinclair. Ross Bolton, Dallas, Texas; Louisiana Bealmear, Sinclair,

TAG DAY COMING.

CHICKEN PIE SUPPER And Will be Here Saturday and Should be Made a Big Success For Passavant Hospital.

Tomorrow will be tag day and all riends of good works will be glad o lend a helping hand to Passavant nospital at that time. A little each from a good many will make a gooding can exceed in importance the

work done at Passavant hospital. The receipts of tag day are kept the doctors charge nothing and the

The hospital fund ought to reach

esult of tag day

Fountain pens; Obermeyer's. SOCIAL SERVICE COMMITTEE.

The social service committee of the Woman's club reminds the members that at the meeting Saturday afternoon the committee will leased to receive supplies of inants' garments for the "Lion Chest' and also new garments for school children. Miss Emma Weller will take charge of all packages.

Scott county was in the city yester day in his Mitchell car. M. A. Roberts and family residing

Franklin, visited the city yesterday in their Buick car. Harry Coultas of the region of Lynnville was a city visitor yester-

day in his Oakland car. O. E. Rexroat of Arcadia precinc came to the city yesterday afternoon in his Maxwell car. Fred Henderson residing in the

ity yesterday in his Maxwell car. Mrs. W. J. Wyatt of Franklin was a city caller yesterday coming in her

north part of the county visited the

George Oxley and daughter of the

southeast part of the county visited Irving Coulson of Morgan City

made a trip to, Jacksonville in his Overland car. W. A. Knapp and family and W

E. Knapp and family of Winchester were among the automobilists in the city Thursday.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The temperature for Thursday, ac cording to G. H. Hall, weather observer at Alexander, was: maximum 26, minimum 3.

GOT HIS HAIR BACK.

Vas Perfectly Bald When He Startes to Use Newbro's Herpicide .

ro's Herpicide, April 6, '99, and began to se it for entire baldness. The hair folicles in his scalp were not dead and in days he had hair all over his head as thick and luxuriant as any one n an old principle and with a new diserm that causes dandruff, falling hair, and finally baldness, so that with the falling hair at once and a ne., h starts. Sold by leading ggist'. Send 10c. in stamps for sample "be Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

TWO. SIZES-50C. AND \$1.00 Sold at Gilbert's Pharmacy

OLD FRIENDS MEET. Yesterday W. T. Reaugh had the leasure of a call from an old time friend, Mrs. Kate Carver of Mere-dosia. The lady is the widow of the late J. H. Carver, one of the best men the county ever knew. She and Mr. Reaugh were friends in early youth and had many things to talk over when they met. says that when she was young there was no horse to wild for her to ride and she never failed to conquor any animal brought her though some some she rode had been too much for even several men

Curtis Unger of Naples was a visito with city friends yesterday

PRICES CREAM BAKING POWDER

A pure, healthful, Cream of Tartar Baking Powder

When buying an article of food you are entitled to know exactly what you are buying-its quality and ingredients.

If this information is refused don't buy it. Some of the low grade baking powders are advertised, but the ingredients of the powders are scrupulously concealed.

A housekeeper would not use a baking powder containing alum if she knew it.

It is well when buying to examine the label on the can. Unless it shows the ingredient cream of tartar, don't buy it.

Dr. Price's baking powder is absolutely free from alum.

Biggest Sensation of the Year!



RICHEY THE ESCAPED KING

Featuring the lady jail breaker, the sensational hit of escape acts. The Russian box and yoke act. Escape from willingness to make the price six Capt. Mackey replied to this statestraight jackets. The police restraint belts.



Vaudeville Feature at the Opera House ply up to the total required for protection. The oBard of Fire Under-Tonight,

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Those Famous Prices, 5c and 10c, Prevail.

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Now is the time to think what you are going to buy your family and friends for Christmas. If you find you are short of money we will loan you the amount needed on easy weekly or monthly installments, and allow you one month to six months to pay us back. Anything you have of value, furniture and pianos is good security with us and we leave the property in your own possession. We trust the working people and treat you right at all times. Call and let us explain our easy plans more fully.

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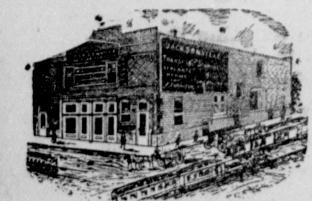
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Solid Silver 1847 Rogers Spoons, Knives and Forks, Ladies' Gild Filled Watches, \$9.00 up; Watch Bracelets, \$8 up; Gents' Gold Filled Watches, \$8.00 up; will not be undersold. Fine watch repairing a specialty. All goods engraved free of charge It will pay you to trade at PRICES' JEWELRY STORE, 218 East State St., Jacksonville, Ill. Best Goods, Lowest Prices.

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Frank Eades The



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Household Goods Bought and Sold me good second hand ewing machines for sale. General transfer and storage, heavy hauling and

WATER SUPPLY IS AGAIN THEME FOR DISCUSSION

City Officials and Capt, Mackey Talk

Mayor Davis and all of the city commissioners met with Capt. Mackey of the Jacksonville Water company Thursday morning for an informal conference concerning the propostion recently made by the water company to furnish the city | with water at a specified rate for a period of three years. In the afternoon the city officials met again, this time without Capt. Mackey and in all several hours during the day were spent in considering the various sides of the proposition. As a result of the conferences it is likely that so general that nearly all phases of at a meeting today the city officials the water question were discussed. Will present to Capt. Mackey the The possibility of a supply from the draft of a contract which will meet their ideas and wishes. In the coriginal proposition the water company suggested a rate of eight as showing that the quality of the commissioners of insufficient force to be, itself, the call the contract which will meet their ideas and wishes. In the part and one of the commissioners of insufficient force to be, itself, the call the contract which will meet their ideas and wishes. In the possibility of the commissioners of insufficient force to be, itself, the call the contract which will meet their ideas and wishes. In the possibility of the commissioners of insufficient force to be, itself, the contract which will meet their ideas and wishes. In the possibility of the commissioners of insufficient force to be, itself, the contract which will meet their ideas and wishes. In the possibility of the commissioners of insufficient force to be, itself, the contract which will meet their ideas and wishes. In the commissioners of insufficient force to be, itself, the contract which will meet their ideas and wishes. In the contract which will meet their ideas and wishes. In the contract which will meet their ideas and wishes and their ideas and wishes and their ideas and wishes and their ideas and wishes are contracted to the commissioners of insufficient force to be, itself, the contract which will meet their ideas and wishes and their ideas and their ideas and their ideas and their ideas are contracted to the commissioners of the commissioners o cents per thousand gallons and water there is practically the same Thursday Capt. Mackey signified a sthat from the wells near the river. cents. The commissioners are not ment by averring that a continuous willing to meet this figure and what-draft upon the Widenham & Daub ever contract they propose will be at | wells might show a variation in the a considerably less price. It was quality. He said too that while the again emphasized at the sessions fact had no real bearing upon the yesterday that no matter what basis present matters under discussion, of understanding may be arrived at that he well remembered that when that the whole proposition will be the original franchise was being conput up to the people for their approval at a special election.

One point which the commissioners considered at length was that of the payment for waste water. As certaining the amount of water near the Illinois river. pumped by computing the number! of gallons sent to the reservoir by each stroke of the pump and deducing from that total the amount of finds a large waste or shortage. If the city buys water from the company and pays for the same, according to meter registration then all water not now accounted for by th customers bills must be paid for by

This shortage or leakage of course also includes the amount of water used for boilers. The regular consumption of water by the city's water patrons does not equal a million gallons per day and therefore the city officials figure that in guaranteepaid would be necessarily have to be did not believe at all that the water ing such an amount that the price

trouble with leaks in its pipe line so | have to be used in keeping the supwriters for example would soon take notice if the reservoir was not confording pressure for fire protection.

Capt. Mackey said that the comconcrete the pipe line in order to the commissioners feel should make it strong and continuously us- included in it. able but he objected to putting a provision for concreting in the contract. He objected also to entering into a bond for the performance of the contract but this point seemed to make very little difference in the mind of the commissioners.

On one point they were all of one mind and agreed that every possible \$3,500 provision in a contract should be made to avoid any future litigation. They want no clause in the contract which will make it possible for the water company to go into court and change the rates during the life of the contract. They want also ample provision so that if the company pipe line or machinery fails and it comes necessary to pump from the city plant that the city will be paid for the extra expense. Some provision it was thought, should made also whereby the city could be released from the contract if the water company continually had breakdowns which necessitated east quarter of section twenty, townpumping from the city plant.

Capt. Mackey dwelt largely upon the increased consumption of water which would follow if the city's supply was pure and wholesome and quoted figures from reports of the national board of hydraulic engineers, showing that in cities where the water is drinkable and usable for all cookery that the daily consumption increases greatly. He said that in Franklin, Pa., where he lives that the population is less than 10,and that the annual water receipts are over \$40,000 and the rates not higher than in force here. He said that the supply was excellent and that the reason for the large onsumption was that practically very body used the water instead of that from wells and cisterns. He said also that there were some large consumers in Franklin but they obtained their own supplies from the Alleghany river or French creek.

One commissioner was of the pinion that the consumption would not be apt to increase greatly here for a number of years at least even the river plant water were furished. He felt certain that there would be frequent leaks in the pipe ne and that while repairs were go ng on that the city plant would have o supply the water and that enough firt would thus get into the mains rom time to time to make people 'eel uncertain about using the water

One of the commissioners sugrested that the water company in iguring the labor cost at their plant had planned for more helpers than had planned for more helper.

necessary. Capt. Mackey said that
it was possible that the plant could be a coul that he and his associates were of Piano-Polonaise in A major the opinion that in all such enterprises it was better and wiser to have more help than actually needed for the everyday work. He believed it would be economy in the long run packing.
607-611 East State St. and that the plant could be accounted by using higher state of efficiency by using

Capt. Mackie in his remarks re-

called some of the Water company's troubled history and said that he and others had large sums invested in ity Officials and Capt. Mackey Talk

Over Water Company's Proposition—City Will Suggest Changes.

Mayor Davis and all of the city

Others had large smis hivested in the project on which they hoped at some time to get a fair return. The only way to do this would be by getting the plant into operation and proving what good water could be produced and in what quantities. He said that so far as the present project of starting up the plant is concerned that just a few of the stockholders had gotten together and agreed to put up the money for the necessary

> expense. None of the commissioners favored any kind of a contract for a period shorter than three years and a number of them felt that five years | The candidate was in the process of would be the proper term of con-

The discussion of the question was sidered by the council that an effort was made to have it provided that the wells could be sunk within a radius of ten miles of Jacksonville, but this was objected to and it was insisted upon that the water must it is now Commissioner Brennan as- come from the water bearing sands

In the conversation relating to the Widenham & Daub wells mention was made of the cost of pumping and it was suggested that if the water actually sold and paid for, light plant were rebuilt that provision might be made for having the pumping done from the city plant and that the power furnished in that way would be at a comparatively

One commissioner spoke of the olan of enlarging Morgan lake by means of dredging in order to increase the storage supply. This plan would include the installation of a used in fire fighting and the amount filtering plant which would probably cost about \$12,000, according to information given by the Illinois water survey.

Another commissioner in course of the discussion said that he company's pipe line would stand daily service without repairs and The fear was expressed that the fail in performing a contract if enwater company would have frequent tered into. He said, however, that he was willing to enter into a contract frequently that the city plant would for water at a price fair to the city in order to give the public a chance ply up to the total required for pro- to get water suitable for drinking and cooking.

At the conclusion of the afternoon notice if the reservoir was not con-stantly kept full as a means of af-ized to consult with J. A. Bellatti and have a contract drawn for consideration by the commissioners and Capt. pany would, if a contract was made, Mackey embodying the points which

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. Alten M. Walker to George W Helter, part lot 18 Richard iBbbs

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east quarter of the northeast quar-

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ship 15, range 10, for the consider-

Henry Wright to George B. Liter lot six town of Liter; \$375. Ezra Wyatt to J. Martin Wyatt, lot 213 car shop addition Jacksonville; \$50.

CIRCUIT COURT NEWS. Nettie McCormick vs. William R. Turnbull, trespass on case. Jury returned into court with verdict and by verdict said they found the de- need of assistance.

fendant not guilty. PROBATE COURT NEWS. The will of Arthur Jewell was filed for probate Thursday. His wife Alice C. Jewell is named as sole beneficiary and executrix without

STUDENTS' RECITAL.

The will is dated January,

Pleasing Work Done by I. W. C. Students. The following program was splead idly given by the pupils of the College of Music Thursday afternoon: Piano-Studdy in A minor. . Heller Gladys Knapp. Piano-Study in A minor . . . Concone Denham Harney. Piano—Etude in C.....Ravilia Isabel Woodman Bonita Olsen. Drdľa Violin-Sernade Piano-Two three-part Invention.

Mary Easley. Nos. 4 and 8 Piano-Danse Elegiaque Charline McCanse.

Roland Kiel Chopin

State Supt. Goodheart of Modern Woodmen Condemns Dangerous Foolery.

The Modern Woodmen of Ameriva, It may be said on the authority of State Superintendent Ben Goodheart of Illinois, is quite in sympathy with such discipline in faternal societies as will prevent the recurrence of tragedies such as occured at Westport, Md., recently when a young man named Zadock Troxell Offner met death during the initiation into the Loyal Order of Moose.

Offner's death occured during the 'horseplay" incident to initation, when an electric battery was used. being branded on the chest when he expired from excitement. He is said to have had a weak heart. The machine used to produce the electric current contained a dry battery, and the shock was caused by turning a littlecrank. This produced a sensathe victim imagination rather than of electricity.

'I can understand this," said Mr. Goodheart, "but those who take part in the ceremonies of initation should appreciate that the terrors of the magination are real, and that serious shocks may be inflicted by efforts intended to affect the imagination and not the physical system. In my travels over the state of Illinois, I have been on the lookout for anything in the initation ceremonies in the various Camps that might affect the imagination of the most faint-hearted candidate. All the boys are given to understand before being put through the process that no harm is intended-nothing more serious than a slap on the wrist-and that ample precautions against accident have been adopted. I trust that this lamentable incident in Maryland will lead to caution in all the fraternities in this matter, and that the Maryland tragedy will prove to be the last of

The Iowa Employers' Mutual Liaoility commission will report in favor of a state mutual liability commission in which membership shall be compulsory. W. D. Baldwin of Burlington will make a minority re-

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A. Patient. Passavant Hospital, Dec. 11, 1912.

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Howard Jameson, who has been attending the Moisant aviation school on Long Island returned home Thursday. Howard has had a wonderful experience since he has been east and when asked how he liked the work said "there is nothing equals it." During all his trial flights he only met with one mis-han when his machine was dashed to the ground and put out of commission.

After a two weeks visit with home folks Mr. Jameson will go to Milwaukee, where he will be employed by the Harley-Davidson Motorcycle company and expects to return to the Moisant school next June.

MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN.

The Jacksonville Aerie No. 50: Fraternal Order of Eagles are making plans to begin their campaign for new members which will com mence the first of January. Through a dispensation of the Grand Worthy President William J. Brennan of Pittsburgh, a reduction in the initia tion fee is to be made and Pres. H E. Frye of the local organization has appointed the following committee to look after the work-W. F. Dunavan, H. E. Frye, Frank Correa, B.

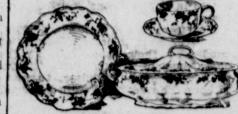
C. Andrews, James E. Toban, Elmer N. Day and Simeon Fernandes. The Jacksonville lodge has been organized eight years and already they have shown their benevolence b helping a great many of those

SUNDAY SERVICES AT ORLEANS. At the morning service at 11 11 o'clock at the Pisgah Presbyterian church at Orleans the pastor, Rev. Mr. Russell will preach from the sub ject: "Christ Enthroned In A Hu man Life". Sunday school will be held at 10 o'clock. There will be no evening service.

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P. Hits Lowest Quotation Since 1908-Offerings Were Taken With Sufficient Readiness to Uphold the General Level of the Market.

(By Associated Press.) New York, Dec. 12 .-- Un a Pacihe was again the center of activity on the stock exchange today and there were further spectacular fluctuations in its price. In a period of excited trading early in the day it broke 44 points to 150%, the lowest figure since 1908. Later it rose with a rush to 156%, a gain of 1%

on the day. The market as a whole showe more stability than during yesterday's disturbance. Although traders had no further information as to the cause of the unsettlement, and speculative sentiment was confused, there was less apprehension on the part of security holders. The recent declines made prices more attractive and considerable investment buying

was reported. There was no recurrence of widespread liquidation of high grade investment stocks, but on the other hand offerings were taken with sufficient readiness to hold up the general level. The result was that the market as a whole did not responded as readily as yesterday to the break in Union Pacific.

There was heavy selling in Readng and it yield 21/2 but elsewhere declines were comparatively small. Steel was heavily traded in but was well taken.

Evidence of the strength of the general market led to incrased buyng and after Union Pacific began to rally there was a scramble of the price of the stocks was more violent | than the decline had been at any Ogle's barn. Finder return to time during the last ten days of un-8-tf settlement and the price at one period of the upward rush with Union Pacific went up with it; and leading ney, and cards. Call at Journal stocks rose one to two points above yesterday's close. Trading grew quieter at the higher level and alther calling of loans by banking institutions on account of the shrinkages in value of collateral and the closing out of weekly margined ac-

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3s, registered1021 Panama 3s, coupon1013 NEW YORK FINANCIAL. York, Dec. 12.—Close Prime mercantile paper 6 per cent.

ual business in bankers' bills at 1.81 for 60 day bills and at 4.85.25 or demand. Commercial bills 4.80%. Bar silver .63%. Money on call easier, 41/2@5 per ent; ruling rate 4%; closing bid 11/2; offered at 4%. Time loans easier; 60 days 6@6%

Sterling exchange strong with act-

months 51/2@6. NEW YORK PROVISIONS. New York, Dec. 12.-Wheat-Spo firm. No. 2 red 106, nominal elevator and 107 nominal fob affoat; No. northern Duluth, 944c fob affoat Futures firmer, closing 1/2c net high er. December closed 91%; May 95% @ 96, closed 95 15-16. Receipts, 151,000; shipments, 118,00. Corn—Spot firm; exports 54½ fob affoat to arrive. Receipts, 13,000;

per cent; 90 days 6@64; si

dairy, finest, 33@34c; good to prime 28@32c; common to fair, 24@28c.

Cheese-Firm, unchanged. Eggs-Firm; fresh gathered firsts, 27@28c; do, seconds and lower grades, 22@26c. Sugar-Raw firm; Muscavado, 89

test, 355; centrifugal, 96 test, 405; molasses, 89 test, 330; refined Coffee-Spot quiet; Rio No. 7, 14; No. 4 Santos, 15%; mild coffee

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET, Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 12 .-- A firmer tone ruled in wheat today. Deferred contracts were relatively stronger than the options which expire soon. Receipts are increasing but the quality is not as good as

steady; Cordova, 16@18%.

previously. December wheat opened 79%c, high 80%@804c, low 79%c, closed

80 @ 80%c. low 83%c, closed 84%c. July opened 85%, high 86%c, low 85%c, closed 86%c.

Closing cash; No. 1 hard, 83c; No. northern, 81@821/2c, to arrive, 81 @ 82c; No. 2 northern, 79@80%c. HOME MARKETS. Commission men pay:

Hens, heavy Old roosters Ducks 8c Guineas, each 15c Toms 12c Grocers pay: Spring chickens10 Onions80 for butter fat this week ... 36

Hay and Grain. Local dealers ask: Timothy hay, per bale70-80c Oats straw, per bale35-40c Wheat straw, per bale35 Bran, per cwt\$1.15 Middlings, per 100 lbs.....\$1.35 CHICAGO LIVESTOCK MARKET

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CLOSING FIGURES WERE THREE. FOURTHS OF A CENT OVER LAST NIGHT.

Wheat at no Time Suffered a Backset of More Than a Fraction of a Point-Corn Rose in Sympathy to

(By Associa: 'ssal

Chicago, Dec. 2 .- Wheat showed decided strength today, in line with May opened 83%@83%, high 85c, the stock market and with bullish news from Angentine. Closing figures were steady at 1/2 to 1/4 m %c over last night. Latest trading left corn with a gain of 14 to 14 @ %c; oats 140 off to 4c up, and provisions varying

from 2% decline to 5@712c advance. Wheat at no time had a backset of more than a fraction. Aside from the recovery of Wall Street values. the most important development was a further cutting down of the probable export surplus in Argentine. 8c The estimated was reduced to 112.-000,000 bushels as compared with 128,000,000 to 136,000,000 bushels

in September. May wheat ranged from 89 to 89%, Butter 20c with last sales % net higher at 89%c. Corn rose in sympathy with wheat. There was talk also that the cold Butter 25-302 weather would bring corn into greatc er immediate use. May fluctuated Lard 12 1/2 between 48% @ 48% and 48%c, closing

e steady %c up at 48%@48%c. In oats unloading of December by c a large cash house weakened that c month. Otherwise the cereal was governed by the upward course of other grain

May swing from 32% to 33c, and closed %c higher at 32%@33c. Sustaining orders from packers put backborne into provisions. Most of the list wound up higher by 21/2 to

Chicago, Dec. 12.-Cattle-Receipts, 7,000; market steady, 10c lower. Beeves, \$5.70@10.70; Texas steers, \$4.50@5.80; western steers, \$5.40@9.15; stockers and feeders. \$4.40@7.50; cows and helfers, \$2.85

@ 7.65; calves, \$6.75@11.00. Hogs-Receipts, 26,000; market steady, 5c lower. Light, \$7.00@ 7.37%; mixed, \$7.05@7.45; heavy, two MI-O-NA Stomach Tablets are \$7.05@7.45; rough, \$7.05@7.20; taken.

\$7.20@7.40. Native, \$1,10@5,10; westindigestion the minute it begins to ern, \$4.20@5.00; yearlings, \$5.560 start a disturbance in your stomach. ern, \$4.20@5.00; yearlings, \$5.560 . Mil-Q-NA saves lots of misery and @6.90; lambers, native, \$6.40@8.30; western \$6.50@8.20 western, \$6.50@8.30.

stomach so strong and energetic that ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK MARKET. St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,100; market steady. where 50 cents. Coover & Shreve Choice to fine steers, \$10.00@10.70; good to choice, \$8.50 @ 9.20; dressed fied. Free trial treatment of MI-O- and butchers, \$5.50@8.60; stockers and feeders, \$3.75@6.75; cows and heifers, \$4.25@7.00.

Hogs-Receipts, 10,000;

to 10c lower. Pigs and lights, \$6.50@7.50; mixed and butchers, \$7.25@7.55; good heavy, \$7.45@ Sheep-Receipts, 3000; market 10 25c higher. Muttons, \$4,50@ 5; yearlings, \$6.00@6.85; lambs,

\$5.80 @ 8.25.

PEORIA GRAIN MARKET. Peoria, Dec. 12.—Corn unchanged. No. 4 white, 44% @ 45%c; No. 3 yellow, 45% @ 46%c; No. 4 yellow, 44@ 44%c; No. 3 mixed, 45%c; No. 4 mixed, 44@44%c; sample, 41c. Oats firm. No. 2 white, 34%c; standard, 33 ac; No. 3 white, 32 c;

No. 4 white, 31%c By sames E. Boaneit & Co. Wheat— High 1 Jw. Close, December . 8 .84 2 5 .83% \$.84% May89% .39 July571/2 .861/2 December47% May48% .4814 .48% Oats-49% .49% December ... '.32'4 May32% .32% July33 .32% January 18.65 18.45 18.5716 May18.40 18.20 18.30 January10.20 10.05 10.1244 May10.02½ 9.90 9.97½ Ribs— January 9.95 9.87% 9.92% May 9.97% 9.72% 9.80

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN MARKET. Chicago, Dec. 12 .- Wheat-No. 2 red, \$1.02@1.03; No. 3 red, 90c@ \$1.00; No. 4 red, 80@90c; No. 2 hard winter, 85%@87c; No. 3 hard winter, 83%@86c; No. 2 spring, 84% @ 85 4c; No. 3 spring, 82 @ 844c; No. northern spring, 86%@87%c; No. northern spring, 84%@86c; No. 3 northern spring, 83@85c. Corn-No. 3, 45% @ 46%e; No. 4.

44@44%c; No. 3 white, 46@46%c; No. 4 white, 44@45%c; No. 3 yellow, 46@46%c; No. 4 yellow, 44%@45%c. Oats-No. 2 white, 35c; No. St. Louis, Dec. 12.—Wheat No. 2 red, \$1.05@1.08½; No. 3 red, 99%

@\$1.02%; No. 4 red, 88@96c; No. 2 hard winter, 86%@92c; No. 3 hard winter, 85%c. Corn—No. 2, 48c; No. 3, 47@ 47½c; No. 4, 46@ 46½c; No. 2 white 49c; No. 3 white, 48c; No. 4 white,

47c; No. 2 yellow, 49c; No. 3 yellow, 474@48c. No. 4 yellow, 46%c.
Oats—No. 2, 33%c; No. 3, 324@
33c; No. 4, 31%c; No. 2 white, 25%
No. 3 white, 33%@33%c; No. 4
white, 31%@32%c.

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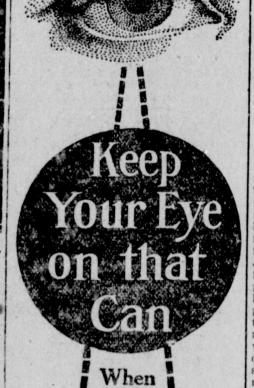
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Thursday morning, Construction Foreman W. L Horning, of the Illiiois Telephone company, started with a gang of men to completely overhaul the company's lines in Roodhouse. About six thousand feet of cable will be added and when the work is completed the Illinois company will have one of the best plants on their system. This work was started as a result of the efforts of Manager Turner of the Roodhouse exchange, who after asthe manegement August 1, suggested the needed improvements

Frank McHatten who has been assting at the Jacksonville Packing stablishment in this city has gone to Terre Haute to take a position in a priking plant there managed by



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GIVES SATISTICS ON FARM PRODUCTS

CENSUS BUREAU HAS PREPARED BULLETIN ON ILLINOIS FARM. portng. ING ITERESTS.

mense Figures-Poultry nad Eggs Produced Worth Millions.

Washington D. C. Dec. 12. nois are presented in a bulletin soon was prepared under the supervision of John Lee Coulter, expert special

hose for crops relate to the produc- not reported. ion of the calendar year 1909. It is be calculated from the census re-

Dairy Products. The number of farms in Illinois reporting dairy cows on April 15, 1910, was 228,267, but only 202,-336 reported dairy products in 1909. That there should be this difference s not surprising. Doubtless some farmers who had dairy cows in 1910 mers neglected to give information for the preceding year, or were unble to do so, perhaps because the products in general are somewnat less accurately reported than the principal crops. This is particularly the case as regards the quantity of milk produced. The number of farms which made any report of milk produced during 1909 was 184,993 (considerably less than the total number reporting dairy products), and the number of dairy cows on such farms on April 15, 1910, was 850,000. amount of milk reported was 340, 240,000 gallons; assuming that there was the same number of cows in 1909 as in 1910, this would represent an average of 377 gallons per ow. In considering this average, however, it should be borne in mind that the quantity of milk reported is probably deficient and that the distinctioin between dairy and other cows is not always strictly observed in the census returns.

By reason of the incompleteness of the returns for milk poduced, the Census Bureau has made no attempt to determine the total value of dairy products for 1909 for convenience partial total has been presented comprising the reported value of milk and cream, sold as such, and

About one half of the milk produced in Illinois in 1909 was sold A comparatively large quantity of milk and cream was sold on the butter fat basis. The butter made on farms was valued at \$10.

The total number of sheep shearing age in Illinois on April 15 1910, was 658,000, representing an ncrease of 4.7 per cent as compared with the number on June 1, 1910 (629,000). The approximate production of wool during 1909 682,000 fleeces, weighing 4,971,000 pounds and valued at \$1,299,000. Of these totals about one-sixth represents estimates. The number fleeces produced in 1909 was 1.1 per cent greater than in 1899. The average weight per fleece in 1909 was 7.3 pounds, compared with pounds 1899, and the average value per pound was 26 cents, as compar

ed with 20 cents in 1899.

Poultry Products. The total number of fowls on Illiois farms on April 15, 1910, was 21,410,000. Of the 237,165 farms reporting fowls, 23,065 did not report eggs produced in 1909, and 20, 636 did not report any poultry raised in 1909. The production of eggs actually reported for the year 1909 was 93,555,000 dozens valued According to the I welfth Census reports the production of eggs in 1899 was 86,403,000 dozens, the value being \$8,942,000. The latter figures however, are some at that census, because they include estimates made to cover those cases where the schedules reported fowls on hand without reporting the production of eggs. In order to make nd the pain is gone! Keep a jar the returns for 1909 comparable with those published for 1899 similar estimates have been made, the method of estimate and justification therefor being substantially the same as in the case of wool. The total production of eggs in 1909, including including estimates made on same basis as for eggs, was 32,353,

> Animals Sold or Slaughtered. The total value of domestic ani nals sold during the year was \$132, 623,000 and that of animals slaughting the same year. The value of the of of animals sold, and the value of the cash. cattle (including calves) sold repreented about one-third of the total. The census of 1900 called for the

eipts from the sale of all domesanimals on the farms reporting

The item of sales is not

closely comparable with that for UNANIA LODGE AT 1909, when the inquiry covered all UNANIA LODGE AT 1909, when the inquiry covered all sales whether of animals raised on the farm reporting or elsewhere. It is believed, however, that in many cases the returns for 1899 also included receipts from sales of ani-

The total value of crops in Illinois in 1909 was \$372,270,000. Of this amount 97.4 per cent was con-Figures Relate to Production During tributed by crops for which the Calendar Year of 1909-Value of acreage as well as the value was re-Animals Slaughtered Runs to Imthe value of by-products (straw, garden and grass seeds, etc.) derived from the same land as other crops reported, or of orchard fruits, nuts, forest products, and the like. The Statistics for farm products for Illi- combined acreage of crops for which acreage was reported was 20,273,to be issued by Director Durand of 916, representing 72.3 per cent of nual membership and entertainment the Bureau of the Census, Depart-ment of Commerce and Labor. It (28,048,323 acres). Most of the re-opening of the membership campaign f John Lee Coulter, expert special gent of agriculture. consists of improved pasture land affair in the past has always proven lying fallow, house and farm yards, and land occupied by orchards and so profitable in the way of getting btained at the census of 1910, like vineyards, the acreage for which was the members together for their an-

impossible to give a total represent- agriculture is indicated by the fact and entertainment are looked foring the annual production of live that about four-fifths (79.9 per cent) ward to and planned for with a stock products for the reason that of the total value of crops n 1909 great deal of enthusiasm and frathe net value of products from the was contributed by the cereals, and ternal spirit.

business of raising domestic animals about one-tenth (10.9 per cent) by Last evenir hay and forage. The remainder, representing in value about 9 per cent tertainments and was up to the high for use, sale, or slaughter can not hay and forage. The remainder, reptatoes and other vegetables, flow- all those present. ers and plants, nursery products, fruits and nuts, and forest pro-

ducts. The total value of crops in 1909 was 73.3 per cent greater than that in 1899. This increase was clearly due to higher prices. There was a had none in 1909, while other far- decrease of 1.2 per cent in the total acreage of crops for which acreage was reported, the principal decrease being in the acreage of cereals and part by increases for most of the pleasing other crops.

Vegetables. In 1909 the total acreage of potatoes and other vegetables was 268,911 and their value \$16,300,654 Excluding potatoes and sweet potatoes and yams, the acreage of value being materially greater than in 1899. The report distinguishes

between farms which make the raising of vegetables a business of some importance (having produced vegetables valued at \$500 or more in 1909) and other farms, on most of which vegetables are raised mainly for home concumption. There were, in 1909, 2,227 farms in the first class, representing about threetenths of the total acreage of vegetables and more than one-third of the total value, the average acreage of vegetables per farm value of product per acre \$89.45.

Strawberries are by far the most important of the small fruits grown in Illinois with blackberries and dewberries and raspberres and loganbersold on the butter fat basis, and the ries ranking second and third rereported value of butter and cheese spectively. The value of the straw-made whether for home consumption berry crop in 1909 was \$613,917. or for sale. The total thus obtained The total acreage of small fruits in for 1909 is \$31,542,000 which may 1909 was 11,723 and in 1899, 16,be defined as the total value of dairy 794, a decrease of 30.2 per cent. products exclusive of milk and cream The production in 1909 was 13,603,-0.000 quarts, as compared with 26, 129,000 quarts in 1899, and the value \$1,110,000 as compared with

\$1,293,000 Orchard Fruits. The total quantity of orchard fruits produced in 1909 was 4,939, 0.00 bushels, valued at \$3,858,000 Apples contributed about three-fifths of this quantity, peaches and nectarines ranking next in importance. The production of grapes in 1909 amounted to 16,583,000 pounds velued at \$426,000 and that of nuts to 714,478 pounds, valued at \$20,

The production of all orchard fruits together in 1909 was 49.4 per cent less in quality than in 1899, and the production of grapes also de clined. The value of orchard fruits, however, increased from \$3,779,000 in 1899 to \$3,858,000 in 1909, and that of grapes from \$383,000 1899 to \$426,000 in 1909. It should be noted in this connection that the values for 1899 include the value of more advanced products derived from orchard fruits or grapes, such as cider, vinegar, dried fruits, and the like, and may therefore involve some duplication, while the values shown for 1909 relate only to the products in their original condition.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE. Public notice is hereby given that Estate of Manuel Goveia, deceased, by virtue of the order of the count; court of Morgan county, state of Illiwhat in excess of the actual returns nois, in the case of the petition of E. M. Vasconcellos, executor of the last will and testament of Manuel Goveia, deceased, vs. Mary E. Govia et al., entered at the November term of said court, I will, on Saturday, December 21, A. D. 1912, at o'clock p. m., at the south door of the court house in Jacksonville, in said county and state, sell at public auction the following described real estate, to-wit:

Beginning at the northeast corner of lot three (3) in King, Dayton and Adams' addition to the town, now production of poultry in 1909 city, of Jacksonville, Morgan county, state of Illinois, and running thence west two hundred thirty (230) feet, thence south one hundred thirtythree and one-third (133 1-3) feet, thence east two hundred thirty (230) feet and thence north one hundred thirty-three and one-third of Uncle Sam's. ered on farms \$14,438,000 making (133 1-3) feet to the place of bean aggregate of \$147,061,000. This ginning and may otherwise be detotal, however, involves considerable scribed as two hundred and thirty duplication resulting from the resale (230) feet off of the east end of or slaughter of animals which had lot three (3) and two hundred and been purchased by the farmers dur- thirty (230) feet off of the east end thirty-three and one-third swine sold during 1909 represented (33 1-3) feet off of the north side about two-fifths of the total value of lot six (6) in said addition, for

> E. M. Vasconcellos, Executor of the last will and testa-Manuel Goveia, de-Julian P. Lippincott,

> F. W. Tendick has returned from visit with friends in Roodhouse.

ANNUAL BANQUET

mals not actually on the farms re- OVER THREE HUNDRED MEM-BERS GATHERED AT I. O. O. F.

> Enjoyed Social Hours and Listened to Excellent Program-Discussed Plans for Membership Campaign Soon to Begin-O. E. Tandy Tells What Odd Fellowship Means.

The members of Urania Lodge No. last night at 8 o'clock for their anmaining improved land doubtless which is waged by the lodge. The nual campaign for new members for The general character of Illinois the lodge that each year the banquet

Last evening proved no exception of the total, consisted mainly of po- standard and was much enjoyed by

The entertainment was attended by fully three hundred and fifty Odd Fellows and their friends and the evening proved a most enjoyable one. The hall was prettily decorated for the occasion with ferns and cut flowers and after the program quite a number signified their desire to become members and presented their petitions. The entire program was highly entertaining and the work of farm was then in other hands. Dairy broom corn, which were offset in the Y. M. C. A. team was especially

Mr. Tandy gave a very eloquent address which was highly appreciated by the large crowd in attendance He said in part: "Odd Fellowship enables a man to broaden his mentehorizon by making him forget self and see the rights of others, and it is vegetables was 120,291 and their a progressive institution that broadens the heart as well as the intellect. The trouble I find with most education is that it is onesided, the heartpower is neglected. If you want to know a man's power measure his intellect and if you want to know his real worth, weigh his heart. I know of no human institution that will develop heartpower to a greater degree than Odd Fellowship. Another think that this order does to a man is to bring him into closer touch with humanity, where he can see, feel and realize that h fellowman needs help, and that we are all more or less dependent on each other. It also teaches a manly independence by inspiring its candidates to stand for right, even if they have to stand alone. Only a man with courage and conviction, who stands in the presence of a stalwart enemy without flinching can hope for recognition from the Great Speaker who presides over the universe Odd Fellowship also recognizes the true worth of woman and it not only teaches but demonstrates what real

The program of entertainment for the evening was as follows: Opening prayer-Rev. Walter Spoonts.

Piano solo-Charles Sheppard. Vocal solo-Miss Hazel Belle Long Duet, violin and piano-Misses Hilda Ator and Mildred Henderson Acrobatic exhibition of parallel bars, pyramid and mat work by the Y. M. C. A. team, composed of H. A. Brewer, Walton Boxell, Harry Walker, Glen Johnson, Lewis Osborne and Dale Boxell.

Violin solo-Miss Clara Moore. Piano solo-Miss Hazel Belle

Address, "Why You Should be an Odd Fellow"-Orin C. Tandy, Franklin lodge No. 121. The different committees in charge

of the banquet arrangements and en tertainment are as follows: The committees in charge of entertainment follows:

General committee-Carl H. We er, chairman. Entertainment-E. E. Henderson and J. K. Long Reception-C E. Seymour, chair

man; Charles R. Knollenberg, James A. Campbell and J. T. Osborne. Banquet-W. C. Howe, chairman Joshua Vasconcellos, Herman Ellis V. D. Wilson, John R. Roberts, W. Roberts, Hiram Johnson, Robert H. Reid, L. A. Vieira, C .H Goodey and Ovias Seymour.

READY FOR HIGH SCHOOL CARNIVAL

With the organization of the en tire carnival troupe the high schoo student association will give their big minstrel and carnival at High School building tonight. purpose of the carnival is to raise money in an effort to meet associa tion's financial obligations and al are working hard to insure the suc cess of the carnival. Thursday af ternoon all of the students of the school were tagged and went out or the building proclamining the won ders of the show that will give its in itial performance tonight. the attractions will be a free vaudeville show, minstrel show, the Daffordils, Hoop Big Indian, Living freaks, Jane the wonder palmist fish pond; candy and fish pond stands a trip through America and Gems Arthur Reeve, Richard Reynolds, Roland Kiel, James Kolp and Harlan Williamson have been announced as ballyho men who will proclaim the features of the different attractions; H. McGinnis will give a lecture with Homer Furr as operator and Mr. Wood, C. Stewart, H. Dickson, Thos. Hale and Dale Boxell have been appointed to hand out in receipt of a reaonable sum magic bits of pastboard that will admit the bearer into the different shows.

Robert Stice will leave early the coming week for Denver to spend the holidays with friends there. Mrs. Stice has been there for several weeks and they will return together.

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ITHIACA, N. Y. DEC. 12 .- Corwill row Harvard on Cayuga Lake on May 24th next, in 'varsity and freshment eight oared races. Cornell will not again play Penn

vlvania State at football. These two announcements were made by the athletic council to day. The management gives no 'eason for dropping Pennsylvania State and merely says the school wil not be asked for a game when the schedule

LETOHATCHTE, ALA., DEC. 12-Hickory Valley, Tenn., won first prize in the all-age event at Southern field dog trials to day. Melrose Mohawk, owned by J. W. Considine of Seattle was second and George Clay owned by Robert Craig of New York took third prize.

SPRINGFIELD, MASS DEC. 12 .-Returns from six rounds in the indoor league race of the United States revolver association started a month ago, show that only five teams have escaped defeat so far. Trese teams are ManHattan of New York City, Spokane, Golden Gate of San Fran-

Ore., met defeat in the first round at the hands of Colonial club of St. Louis, while Springfield, generally a finalist if not champion, also was defeated by Spokane. The high total scored so far was registered March 4th., by the Man'Hattan club,

tais uncommon two years ago, be-

NE YORK, DEC. 12.-Several exciting incdents marked the continuance of the six-day bicycle race at Madison Square Garden tonight but neither accident nor sprint eleminated any of the rders or changed their relative positions. Oscar Egg of the French team crashed into Bobby Walthour's wheel on one of the turns about 10 o'clock. Both were thrown, whi'e Egg regained his feet and wheel, Walthour was picked up unconscious. Later he re-eppear-ed on the track.

ST LOUIS, DEC. 12 .- Johnny Kilbane, champion feather-weight won an easy decision over Tommy Dixon of Kansas vity tonight. The fight went the shcheduled eight rounds, but in the final round Dixon was in such distress that Kilbane refuesd

MAY RAISE FUND FOR AREBACH
St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 12.—A fund to be used in an effort to prove that the vision and hearing of the em-Oscar Arebach is not guilty of the ployes of the road. His territory exmurder of Harry W. Fisher, a Chicago promoter, at Baldwin, Mich., Mo. Aside from the work outlined

MORTUARY

Mrs. Dorothy Ball died Thursday norning at 10 e'clock at her residence, 1330 West Lafayette avenue The deceased was a daughter of John T. and Rebecca Henry and was born on a farm seven miles southeast of this city, January 13, 1842. She was married to Smith Ball June '25, 1867 and is survived by two daughters, Lillie and Maude; one brother, John D. Henry of this city; and two half brothers, U. C. Henry of this city and Charles Henry of Chicago, Mrs. Ball became a member of the Christian church at Vien, na, Mo., 1857 and has always led a consistent Christian life, and her many friends in this city will extend their sincere sympathy to the mem-

Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the residence and interment will be made in Diamond Grove cemetery. Pickering.

bers of the family in their bereave-

Mrs. Siera N. Pickering died at Jacksonville State hospital Thursday morning at 9:10 o'clock. The remains were removed to the Gillham undertaking establishment and will be sent to Jerseyville where funeral services will be held and interment will be made.

William Frank, one of the oldest esidents of Brown county, died Tuesday afternoon at the home of his daughter. The funeral services were conducted Thursday from the esidence in charge of Rev. Mr. Pease of Hersman and interment was made in Fargo cemetery.

Mrs. Mary Horton, who has been ill for some time died last night at 11:45 o'clock at the family residence in Woodson, at the age of 28 years. She is survived by three sons, her father, William Cade and the following brothers and sister, Mrs. Maria Daniels of Murrayville, Mrs. Charles West, Mrs. Charles West, Mrs. Vinetta Ealey, Edward W. Cade Benjamin Cade and Mary Cade of Murrayville.

TO ADDRESS CLUB. George B. Mangold Ffh. D., di rector of the School of Social economp of St. Louis will address the Woman's club on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Academy hall on Social work. Students of Economic ques tions are cordially invited to attend Miss Jensen will be heard in a musical selection. Sunday afternoon at o'clock Mr. Mangold will speak in the interest of the Associated Charities at State Street church.

Gold fountain pens; Obermeyer's

MORGAN COUNTY STOCK BRINGS GOOD PRICES. E. W. Sorrells shipped 67 hogs to the St. Louis markets Tuesday which averaged 248 and brought \$7.65 per hundred, 5c higher than any of the western markets of that day. They were March and April pigs and had been fed corn, oats and clover with hog powder. Mr. Sorrells is a strong believer in some kind of powder for

I,131.

Remarkable shooting has characterized the race so far, with 1100 towhich brought \$1140, being 9c per decrease of \$8,436,037.02.

Cash pound. The steers had been fed coming even among the teams supsince July with oats, corn and cottotal \$161.025, posed to be the weaker members of ton seed meal. They came near top-\$22,311,625.39. ping the market.

TO REDUCE COST OF LIVING

Philadelphia, Dec. 12.—More than two million eggs were retailed at 24 cents a dozen by the House-keepers League to day in the campaign to reduce the price of fiving started here yesterday. Six thousand crates of thirty dozen each were distributed to settlement houses, stores and private dwellings, and were all eagerly purchased.

COLLEGE CAMPAIGN

PROGRESSES The women's organization which did such excellent work for the Womans College campaign during the recent days is still intact and the work of securing pledges will be prosecuted steadily. One pledge was taken yesterday and a number o good "prospects" were slated.

IS APPOINTED ALTON OCULIST is being raised here by friends of above Dr. Adams will of course take according of an announcement towho undergo eye or ear injuries.

Y. M. C. A. DIRECTORS HOLD DECEMBER MEETING

All Departments of Association Are in Flourishing Condition.

The board of directors of the Y M. C. A. held their regular monthly meeting Thursday night. Reports from the various committees showed good healthy interest in all the activities of the association, religious and physical. Secretary Watt

stated that the Young Men's Bible class, under the leadership of Rev. Mr. Miller and Rev. Mr. Dorgan, promises to be one of the leading features of the religious department, The class has a membership of twenty-six, the average attendance each night being twenty-one. With two exceptions a'l of them are young men on the job.

During the month one Sunday afternoon meeting was held in the First Baptist church, addressed by Rev. Clyde Darsie, who spoke on a "Grafter in Politics" and a "Coward in Religion."

Director Brewer's report for No-vember makes a splendid showing, as follows:

Business men 11 Seniors Intermediates Older Boys Juniors 12

The association took care of two visiting high school football teams during the month. A basketball team has been organized with Louis Osborne as captain and L. I. Waterfield as manager. A schedule is ing arranged.

Those using the gymnasium out side the regular class work is as fol-

lows: Business college students Business men (special games) . . Volley ball league Senior leaders' corps Older boys' leaders ... Barket ball practice 20 Sunday school class (supper

AUDITOR'S REPORT SHOWS INCREASE IN BANKING BUSINESS IN ILLINOIS

Statement Showing Condition of the Banks of the State Show an Increase Both in Deposit and Sur-

Springfield II., Dec. 12.-Statement issued to day by the state auditor of public accounts of the condition of the 618 state banks in Illinois at the opjening for business November 27th, shows an increase in both saving deposits and in surplus. The total capital, contingent fund and undivided profits amounts to \$130,373,936.31 an increase of \$4;-815,113.26 since September 5th 815,113.26 since September

due from banks and cash 4 on hand total \$161.025,318.90 a decrease of

Savings deposits amount to \$278. 047,535.95, an increase of \$7,321,-625.11. The per cent of reserve to deposits is 23.45. The surplus and profits of the sixty nine state banks in Cook county amount to \$86,716, 717.95 and increase of \$2,900,771.21 Deposits are \$507,320,711.21, a decrease of \$7,546,016.46.

The per cent of reserve to deposit

WILSON IS SUBPOENAED. Newark, N. Y., Dec. 12.—A suboena for President-elect Wilson was ssued to day by United States Commissioner Stockton. Governor Wilson's testimony is wanted at hearing next Tuesday of Seeley Davenport, Warren and Jacob Dunn, who are charged with having sent him threatening letters.

Best 50c four in hand on the market boxed for gifts at FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store.

EAT FRUIT AND REDUCE EXPENSES

Nurserymen Affirm a Greater Consumption of Fruit Would Reduce Cost of Living Materially.

Kansas City, Dec. 12.-A greater insumption of fruit by Americans vould cause a great reduction in the cost of living and raise the general standard of health in this country, according toh several speakers before the annual convention of the Western Association of Nurserymen

"The American house wife must overcome the idea that fruit is luxury," said L. C. Atark, of Louisiana, Mo. "She should consider it as needful for her child as sugar and The people of Europe eat relatively much more fruit than we do in this country. They are benefitted financially and their health is immeasurably better because of their fondness for fruit.'

TESTIFY FOR GOVERNMENT. Cincinnati, Dec. 12.—The govern-

ment put nine witnesses on the stand today during the trial of officials or former officials of the National Cash Register company of Dayton, Ohio charged with violation of the criminal section of the Sherman antitrust act. The gist of the testimony gents had used questonable methods to curb the business of its rivals and further the sale of ts own

COURT HOLDS LOW VALID. New York, Dec. 12 .- The federal employers' liability act was tested in New York courts for the first time titled to \$10,000 from the Erie rail road because he lost a foot while

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BLANKET BUYING

And Christmas time too you can't find a nicer gift than a pair of soft, fleecy,

Blankets, with their dainty borders. They look good enough to eat. Nobody has too many. Every one in the family wants more covers these nights and blankets are so warm and light. Then if you have a guest you always want a nice new pair of blankets. We bought our blankets a long time ago when the price was at the lowest stage. They run from \$2 per pair to \$10. \$3.98 or \$5 buys some mighty nice ones. We have those pretty plaid blankets, those soft natural grey or the white ones. This is a fine time to buy blankets and you'll not find a nicer gift or one that will be appreciated more.

Butterick Patterns for January

FLORETH'S BIG REDUCTION SALE!

has just fairly begun. If you have not yet taken advantage of it, get your share of the Christmas bargains, do it this week. Remember the entire stock must be reduced. It is worth while to see.

COATS! COATS!

Are now at prices that cannot but help save you money.

\$25.00 coats are now reduced to............ \$15.00 \$20.00 coats are now reduced to \$13.50 \$15.00 coats are now reduced to.........\$10.00

\$13.50 coats are now reduced to..........\$ 9.50 Children's coats are also in this great slaughter. If in need of a coat for child from 4 to 14 years old this is your opportunity for saving \$3 to \$5 on every coat.

Dress Goods Bargains

Don't overlook our Dress Goods counter. Two of the biggest bargains you ever had given was that the national company an opportunity to buy so cheap at this season of the year:

\$1.00 and \$1.50 dress goods are now.... 89c 50c and 60c dress goods are now......39c

Remember Our Half Price on Millinery

Trimmed hats of all description, black or colors, the choice of our entire stock at ONE-HALF PRICE......Come to Floreth's this week; you will not regret it, if you want to save money on your Christmas buying. Always cash.

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CHRISTMAS SHOPPING **SUGGESTIONS**

Perhaps you are in a quandary. You do not know just what to get for some friend. This is an age of practical gifts. Be that friend young or old, something in the footwear line makes a very useful and much appreciated gift. Shoes are always acceptable and a pair selected from our large assortment would certainly please. A large selection of staple and fancy slippers suitable as a gift, priced from 50c to \$2.50.

We are showing many novelties in crocheted, felt and traveling slippers, wool and satin trimmed slippers, soles, leggins in colors. Make some of your gifts

footwear. Be sure to shop early.

Our Bargain Counter Better prepared than ever o suit you in repairing.



We Repair Shoes

An attractive place, our way of cleaning up odds and

For their first basketball game of the season the Routt college high school team will go to Arenzville tonight where they will meet the strong five at that place. The Routt college high school team has been going through some steady practice and all of the men have been showing up well. They are confident of bringing a victory home with them after the contest and as the Arenzville men have been put through a heavy drilling by Gummerscheimer, formerly with Illinois college here, they are equally as sure of coming

out of the battle victorious. The line ups of the two teams follows:

Routt college-Sheehan and Alexander, forwards; Groves, center; Butler and Donovan, guards. Arenzville-Herman and McElroy, orwards; Squires, center; roy, forwards, Squires center:

Turkey supper by Northminster ladies tonight at 5 p. m. Price 40c.

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A good book is the most appreciated Christmas present. See our complete stock of this season's

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A rich mellow blend that takes years of study to produce.

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MEET ARENZVILLE TONIGHT. PICKS DANGEROUS PLACE TO SLEEP NEXT POULTRY SHOW TO BE

Chicago Man Climbs Elevated Railway Pillar and Takes Nap in Grease Pan. Chicago, Dec. 12.-Oscar Soren-

son, after making a number of purchases in liquor stores in the business district here to day felt the need of some sleep. He climed an elevated railway pillar and lay down in one of the iron grease pans that are suspended under the tracks over crossings. The temperature was far below freezing, but Sorenson slept for some time, while elevated railway employes debated on hod to get him out. He solved the problem him self by walking and climbing the tracks, and started to walk along the third rail. Sleep over took him again after he had walked a few He was arrested.

Immense stock of Parker fountain pens, best; Obermeyer's.

· POLITICS AND POLITICIANS. Ohio is out with an announcement

that he will seek re-election when his present term expires. Frank P. Glass, well known as a

newspaper publisher in Alabama, is among those receiving mention for a place in the Wilson cabinet. Officially there is no longer a Republican party in Maryland, as the joy the greater part of the year.

state law recognizes but two parties, and the Republicans ran third in the recent election. The Hamilton club of Chicago is

to return to the Republican party, and has called a meeting to that end to be held in Chicago next month. Progressive leaders from all parts of the United States will meet in New York on Lincoln's birthday under the auspices of the New na-

tional Progressive clup of New York Charles P. Taft, of Cincinnati, brother of President Taft, is expected to become a candidate to succeed United States Senator Theodore state of Illinois. We are the only E. Burton, whose term will expire

Friends of Speaker Champ Clark will urge upon the Democrats the selection of Bennett Clark, the 24year-old son of the speaker, as parliamentarian of the house of the sixty-third congress.

The name of Joseph Teal, a prominent Oregon lawyer who has been extensively identified with the conservation movement, will be presented to President-elect Wilson for appointment as secretary of the in-

For the first time in nearly forty years the Democrats will be in practical control of both branches of the state legislature of Con- four firms in Jacksonville buying necticut when that body convenes for and shipping poultry. There is but its regular session early in the com-

approaching session of the Michigan 482,880 head of poultry, while Illilegislature will see the enactment of nois has 21,409,835. a measure designed to simplify the primary and registration laws of that

Kansas elected more than 200 Missouri women to county offices this yearfifty more than in any previous year. Kansas The offices to which the women were chosen are among the most respon- Indiana sible in the counties. There are women probate judges, district court Michigan, Nebraska and South Daelerks, county treasurers, registrars kota, eleven in all, have 157,357, of deeds, county clerks and county 761, while the other thirty-seven

William P. Jackson, Republican 522,429, making a grand total of national committeeman for Mary- 295,880,190 in the United States. land, who has been appointed by Governor Goldsborough to succeed "Billion Dollar Hen Proposition."

Notwithstanding the denials that teaching the poultry industry, while have been issued, intimate friends in Arkansas and one or two other and political associates of Senator states, the public schools are taking Gallinger of New Hampshire believe up this work as a branch of study. ne will voluntarily retire from public life at the conclusion of his present that Morgan county may be found on term two years hence. Senator Gal- the poultry map is the wish of linger is now seventy-five years old and among the many members of the senate only two are his seniors in age, Senator Cullom of Illinois, who retires next March, and Senator framed kindly leave them with Stephenson of Wisconsin, whose now We will appreciate it. term ends in 1915.

HELD IN JANUARY 1914

Local Association Has Fixed Date For Next Exhibit—Reports Show Affairs in Good Condition—D. T. Heimlich Writes Interesting Letter From Kansas.

A special meeting of the Morgan County Poultry association was held Thursday night in the office of Esquire W. E. Thomson. Various matters relating to the recent exhibit were talked over and the annual report made by the secretary, J. H. Rayhill, showed that the exhibit had been well managed and that the association's financial affairs were in satisfactory condition.

It was decided to hold the next show Jan. 14-15-16-17, 1914. A moblocks, and wihle half a dozen ele- tion prevailed that D. T. Heimlich vated trains waited firemen came be secured again as judge and there with ladders and took Sorenson down was some discussion as to the relative merits of comparison and score

card judging. Among other business matters transacted was in the selecting of Miss Henrietta Clark as second vicepresident to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mrs. J. F Clark. The following interesting letter from Judge Heimlich was read:

Newton, Kan., Dec. 10, 1912. Senator Theodore E. Burton of To the Officers and Members of the Morgan County Poultry Association, Jacksonville, Ill.; I send you greetings from this

great Sunflower state of Kansas. It is here that we meet the poultry fraternity with a genial smile of welcome that is as cheerful as the warm sunhine which is their privilege to en The weather here is ideal;

show good in numbers and quality I am with you tonight in thoughts and good wishes, and I trust that making an effort to get Progressives your deliberations regarding the preparation for our next show will be of such careful planning that our 1913 exhibit will excel all previous efforts; that you all will work together in harmony and good will; that each member will consider it his or her duty to get at least one new member during the coming year: Nothing would be of greater in-

terest to me, or give me greater pleasure than to know that Morgan county is the banner county of the organization of the state and of the larger cities that give a farming community a free show where the farmers can see and study standard bred fowls at close range. If we could only in some way convince them that our interest is their interest and that it would mean added dollars in their pockets to breed pure bred fowls, we will have ac-

complished something. Our merchants have willingly helped the association financially and it is to their interest to do so, as the poultry industry means much, not only to the producer, but to the merchants themselves.

The industry means the handling of a quarter million dollars by the one other state of the forty-eight that has more poultry on the farms It is generally expected that the than Illinois. That is Iowa with 23,

> Government statistics for 1910 give the above as well as the follow-

Ohio Minnesota These states with states have a total of only 138,-

This industry, justly called the he late Isidor Rayner in the United adds largely to our commercial busi-States senate, is forty-four years old ness. We may all feel proud of and a native of Maryland. He is re- our part in upbuilding such an inputed to be a millionaire, with large dustry, and in interesting in such and varied business interests, chief industry thousands of students, of which is the manufacture of young and old. There are over thirty state and other universities That the good work may go on and

Yours sincerely. D. T. Helmlich.

Customers having pictures to be C. S. Martin, W. State St.

MEAT MARKET BURGALRIZED AND BARN FIRED AT CHAPIN

Residents Think Structure Was Se on Fire So That Business House Could Be Broken Into.

night a barn owned by Thomas Brownlow at Chapin was burned to the ground and the butcher shop conducted by William Charleswarth was burglarized, and the residents of that town are of the opinion that the barn was fired in order that the thieves could enter the butcher shop unmolested.

The fire at Mr. Brownlow's barn was first discovered about 7 o'clock Thursday evening and the big blaze Thursday evening and the big blaze attracted a large number of people to the scene. The barn contained three tons of hay and about one hundred and eighty bushel of coal, all of which was destroyed and the total loss is estimated at about \$600. Among the spectators at the fire was William Charlswarth, who locked his butcher shop and hurried to the scene, when the alarm was given. When it was seen that there was no hope of saving the structure

was no hope of saving the structure Mr. Charlswarth returned to his shop, arriving there about 8 o'clock. The front of the building was not damaged and the proprietor knew nothing of the burglary until he entered the shop. It was found that a panel had been broken out of the rear door, the theves gaining entrance in this manner, and about \$25 or \$30 was missing from the cash drawer. Mr. Charlswarth immediately notified the authorities of the burglary and after the building was examined the shop was locked up, so that bloodhounds would have no trouble in stribing a stribulation as stribing a stribulation as stribing a stribulation as stribulation as stribing a stribulation as stribulation no trouble in striking a trail if it was thought advisable to send for them

The authorities notified the police in surrounding towns to be on the lookout for any suspicious characters but one of the difficulties in effecting a capture is that no one saw the men and therefore are unable to give discription of them. No suspicious characters were seen in the vicinity of Chapin and the men have not the slightest clue as to the identity of the burglars.

FOUNTAIN PENS.

A Wonderful Display at Obermeyer's J. A. Obermeyer & Son have placed in a conspicuous place in their drug and bookstore a marbfe bottom case containing \$700 worth of Parker celebrated fountain pens at 'all prices ranging from 75c to \$50 each. The exhibition is truly a thing of beauty and well worth seeing. The pens are displayed so that each and all can be easily seen and examined.

Fresh oysters at Clark & Devore's. CHILDREN'S BOOKS.

The most important gift for child is a good book. Call and see our large well selected stock of Christmas books for children. Bargain Book Store

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Coats

Pen'ants and Pillow Tops

A visit to this store will give you many helpful suggestions. A man's store for things that men wear.

Why not a Suit, Overcoat or Hat? Can be exchanged for correct size.

ONE OF THE sensible gifts a man will appreciate is a bath robe, slippers to match, Convenient for the bath or for lounging. Any number of beautiful patterns, \$5 to \$10.

Silk Shirts, collars to match, \$4 and up. White and pleated Shirts, 50c to \$2.50.

Silk and knitted Mufflers, Collar Sets and Bags.

Child's Fur Caps, \$1 to \$2.

This Suit case with all toilet accessories, ebony and silver trimmed, \$12.50. Leather and linen lined cases \$5 to \$18. Black and tan Bags, all leathers, \$5 to \$25.



Shop Today. Don't Wait. All Holiday Goods Boxed

The Store of the Christmas Energy'

I Now that the real Christmas crowds are here, with beaming, gladsome faces, filling all the gift sections, enthusiastic in the spirit of the season, this is more than ever"The Store of the Christmas Energy." The bright, cheery, home-like atmosphere of the store itself seems to borrow warmth and welcome from the season.

I There is a strangely wonderful note of harmony in it all-these great, joycus throngs, the brilliantly lighted, beautiful displays and the sales service immediately responsive to the intentions of the gift buyers.

And so with these advantages added to those in the great assortments of unique and worthy Christmas goods gathered from all over the country, Christmas shoppers are finding this more than ever the ideal gift store.

A Shopping now and in the day's early hours has advantages that cannot be too strongly emphasized. The physchological moment for gift buying is now, so come while the assortments are complete and your gift buying will be made easy.

See Our Line of Gift Rockers

An Appropriate Gift A Framed Picture.